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To

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HOME DEPARTMENT, MADRAS.

SIR,

[Subject.—Jails—Annual Report on the Administration of—Submitted.]

Introductory.—I submit my report on the Administration of the Jails in the State for the year 1953

2. *Inspector-General of Prisons.*—I assumed charge as Inspector-General of Prisons on 10th October 1953 afternoon and held it for the rest of the year. During the period preceding 11th October 1953, the following officers held the charge as shown below:—

(1) Sri S. A. Iyengar, I.C.S.—From 1st January to 15th May 1953.

(2) Sri J. V. Willmott —From 16th May to 5th June 1953.

(3) Sri V. Hanumantha Rao, I.A.S.—From 6th June to 10th October 1953, *a.n.*

3. *Classes of prisons.*—There were twelve Central Jails at the commencement of the year and eight at the close of the year. Consequent on the inauguration of the Andhra State, the two Central Jails at Rajahmundry and Visakhapatnam went to the Andhra State and the other two Central Jails, viz., Alipuram Jail, Bellary and Central Jail, Bellary went to the Mysore State after 1st October 1953. The number of District and Special Jails remained at two as in the previous year. Borstal Shools at Palayamkottai and Alipuram continued to function. The latter institution was annexed to the Mysore State on the formation of the Andhra State. At the close of the year, the number of Special sub-jails was 4 as against 5 in

the previous year consequent on the Special Sub-Jail, Nellore becoming an institution in the Andhra State with effect from 1st October 1953

The number of Subsidiary Jails at the close of the year was 160 as against 289 in 1952. One hundred and twenty-nine Subsidiary Jails passed over to the Andhra State and Mysore State after 1st October 1953.

JUDICIAL STATISTICS.

4. *General summary.*—The year commenced with 31,608 prisoners of all classes. Three lakhs seventy-five thousand seven hundred and forty-four were admitted and 373,897 were discharged. Eight thousand four hundred and twenty-three prisoners were formally transferred to the Andhra and Mysore States in October 1953. The year ended with 25,032 prisoners of all classes. The daily average population increased from 25,429.06 in 1952 to 26,573.64 during the period under report. The increase was due to the influx of prisoners concerned in Railway offences, stoppage of trains, etc. In G.O. Ms Nos. 85, Home, dated 8th January 1953, 470, dated 9th February 1953, 726, dated 3rd March 1953 and 2200, dated 7th July 1953 Government ordered release of prisoners prematurely to relieve overcrowding in jails.

Five thousand and two hundred prisoners were accordingly released prematurely. In spite of the premature releases effected, as ordered by Government, the jails in the State continued to be overcrowded.

5. *Statement I—Convicts.*—The number of convicted prisoners at the beginning of the year was 23,068 males and 1,322 females. One lakh thirty-six thousand seven hundred and six males and eight thousand two hundred and sixty females were received by direct committal against 133,690 males and 7,024 females respectively in 1952.

The largest number of direct committal was, as in the previous year from the Madras City, viz., 25,209. South Arcot was next with 8,249 prisoners, followed by Madurai, 8,127, Salem 8,112, Coimbatore 7,680 and Chingleput 4,452, prisoners.

Forty thousand three hundred and ninety-seven prisoners were received by transfer. Of these, 2,122 were transferred from one jail to another inside the State, 70 from jails in other States, 400 en-route to the other jails and 37,805 from subsidiary jails to Central or District Jails or other subsidiary jails.

One lakh eighty nine thousand one hundred and sixty-one were discharged during the year. The details are:—

| | | |
|--|----------------|----------------|
| Prisoners remaining in jails in Andhra and Mysore States on 1st October 1953 | .. .. . | 5,956 |
| Inter-jail transfers | .. .. . | 58,267 |
| On appeal | .. .. . | 4,083 |
| On expiry of sentence | .. .. . | 97,092 |
| Under remission rules | .. .. . | 17,122 |
| By orders of Government | .. .. . | 6,129 |
| Released on licence | .. .. . | 24 |
| Transfer to the Mental and Headquarters Hospitals | .. .. . | 295 |
| Escaped and remaining at large | .. .. . | 13 |
| Executed | .. .. . | 46 |
| Died | .. .. . | 134 |
| Total | .. .. . | 189,161 |

Twenty thousand five hundred and ninety-two prisoners remained at the close of the year. There is an increase in the daily average number of convicts from 17,558.58 in 1952 to 19,233.61 during the year under report.

One hundred and twenty-seven prisoners were suffering from leprosy in the Leprosy Annexes of the Central Jails, Salem and Tiruchirappalli at the beginning of the year. Three hundred and sixty-seven were admitted and 343 were disposed of leaving 151 prisoners at the close of the year (88 at Salem and 63 at Tiruchirappalli). The number of prisoners discharged cured is one. No one died. The daily average number is 136.66 showing an increase from 110.28 in 1952.

The number of prisoners convicted under the Prohibition Act increased from 38,319 in 1952 to 38,984 during the year.

6. *Statement XVIII—Under-trial prisoners.*—The number of under-trial prisoners confined at the beginning of the year was 7,154. One lakh eighty-nine thousand seven hundred and eighty-two were admitted and 192,560 were disposed of. The figures include 2,456 prisoners remaining in jails forming part of the Andhra and Mysore States on 1st October 1953. Four thousand three hundred and seventy-six prisoners remained at the close of the year. The daily average number was 7,248.76 recording a decrease from the daily average of 7,811.99 in 1952.

The daily average in respect of Subsidiary Jails was 4,863.07 for the year under report, as against 6,122.49 in the previous year. The daily average of the under-trial prisoners confined in the Central and District Jails was 2,385.69 for the year showing an increase from 1,689.54 in the previous year. The increase is due to the transfer of under-trial prisoners from the heavily overcrowded Subsidiary Jails to the Central and District Jails.

One lakh twenty-nine thousand one hundred and eighteen under-trial prisoners were otherwise disposed of exclusive of those transferred and remaining in the jails forming part of the Andhra and Mysore States on 1st October 1953 (viz., 60,986 and 2,456 respectively). Of this number, 94,237 prisoners were released and 34,819 were convicted and sentenced against 31,823 in the previous year. The percentage of release during the year was 72.99 and the percentage of conviction 26.97 as against 74.78 and 25.15 respectively, in the previous year. There were 20 escapes of under-trials and all occurred in the Sub-Jails. The number of deaths among these prisoners during the year was 42 as against 35 in the previous year. Of these, 8 deaths occurred in the hospital and relate to the subsidiary jails.

The average period of detention in the jails of under-trials whose cases were pending before the Courts of Sessions and Magistrates was 26.39 and 12.31 days, respectively, as against 29.67 and 12.32 in the previous year.

7. *Civil prisoners.*—The number of civil prisoners at the commencement of the year was 62. Five hundred and forty-four prisoners were admitted and 531 discharged. Eleven prisoners remained in jails forming part of the Andhra and Mysore States on 1st October 1953. There were 64 prisoners at the close of the year. The daily average of these prisoners was 81.13 as against 51.60 in the previous year. One civil prisoner died in the Central Jail, Rajahmundry, during the period under report (before 1st October 1953).

8. *State and security prisoners.*—No State prisoner was admitted into the jails during the period under report.

Two prisoners ordered to be detained under the Preventive Detention Act, 1950, remained in the jails at the commencement of the year. Fifty-five were admitted during the year making a total of 57. All the 57 were disposed of during the year. No prisoner of this class remained in jails at the end of the year. The daily average of security prisoners of this class was 10.14 during the year under report showing an increase from 1.89 in the previous year. No prisoner of this class died in jail during the year.

9. *Statement II—Religion.*—Of the 144,966 prisoners admitted as direct committals, 83.02 per cent were Hindus and Sikhs, 7.83 per cent Muslims, 7.15 per cent Christians, and 2.00 per cent others, as against the percentage in the previous year 79.11, 8.38, 7.48, 0.01 and 5.02, respectively.

10. *Age of convicts.*—Admissions during the year according to age as compared with those of the previous year are as follows:—

| Ages. | Years. | |
|----------|--------|--------|
| | 1952. | 1953. |
| 16 to 18 | 4,990 | 3,584 |
| 19 to 21 | 13,647 | 13,883 |
| 22 to 30 | 51,405 | 61,113 |
| 31 to 40 | 34,372 | 40,111 |
| 41 to 60 | 23,818 | 22,993 |
| Above 60 | 2,310 | 3,160 |

The number of admissions under the age of 16 years during the year was 122 showing a decrease from 172 in the previous year.

11. *Appendix to Statement II—Age of children, juveniles and adolescents.*—The number of juveniles between the ages of 14 and 15 decreased from 119 in 1952 to 97 during the year. Thirty juveniles under the age of 14 were admitted in the jails and subsidiary jails. The number of adolescents between ages 16 to 20 and 21 to 23 years decreased from 8,615 in 1952 to 7,608 in 1953 and increased from 11,558 to 12,011 during the year under report, respectively.

12. *Education.*—The percentage of literates and illiterates during the year was 19.80 and 80.20 as against 18.12 and 81.88, respectively, in the previous year.

13. *Previous occupation.*—Particulars relating to the occupations of male convicts admitted during the year compared with those of 1952 are given below :—

| | 1952. | 1953. |
|---|-------|-------|
| A. Persons employed under Government or municipal or other local authorities. | 0.91 | 0.83 |
| B. Professional persons | 5.31 | 4.08 |
| C. Persons in service or performing personal offices. | 3.33 | 3.09 |
| D. Persons engaged in agriculture with animals. | 29.76 | 31.62 |
| E. Persons engaged in commerce and trade. | 4.74 | 3.86 |
| F. Persons employed in mechanical arts, manufactures and engineering operations, etc. | 2.24 | 2.13 |
| G. Miscellaneous persons not classified as otherwise. | 53.71 | 54.39 |

Of the 8,260 females admitted during the year, 6,479 were married, 853 unmarried and 924 widows as against 5,382, 856 and 786, respectively, in the previous year. The number of prostitutes admitted was 4 as against 29 in the previous year.

14. *Statement III—Nature and length of the sentence.*—There is a decrease in the percentage of sentences of simple imprisonment from 24.14 in 1952 to 20.16 during the year. In regard to rigorous imprisonment, there is an increase from 75.86 in 1952 to 79.54 in the year under report. Of the 29,656 prisoners sentenced to simple imprisonment, 13,990 prisoners were sentenced to undergo imprisonment in default of payment of fine or failure to furnish security. There was no case of sentence to imprisonment with solitary confinement or whipping. The number sentenced to death was 197 and to transportation for life 282 as against 132 and 279 respectively in the previous year. During the year, no prisoner was sentenced to transportation for a term. The number of sentences to imprisonment not exceeding one month increased from 55,664 in 1952 to 60,612 and the number of cases of sentences between one and three months increased from 56,316 in the year 1952 to 64,762. Three prisoners were sentenced to imprisonment exceeding ten years. Two thousand four hundred and twenty-three prisoners were sentenced to periods from one to ten years and 16,687 to periods from three months to one year. The number of prisoners remaining at the end of the year was 20,592, their sentences being 89 sentenced to death, 832 to transportation for life, 1,777 to periods exceeding two years, 1,564 between one and two years and 16,330 under one year.

15. *Statement IV—Previously convicted prisoners.*—Of the 144,966 prisoners admitted during the year, 3,721 or 2.57 per cent of the direct committals were previously convicted against 2,768 or 2.12 per cent in the previous year. This number includes 304 prisoners imprisoned for the first time, in default of furnishing security under section 110, Criminal Procedure Code, and classified as habituals. Of the remainder, 1,913 prisoners had one previous conviction, 1,041 had two previous convictions and 463 had more than two previous convictions. All the 3,721 prisoners were classified as habituals by the courts convicting.

16. *Classification of star class.*—The year opened with 173 star class prisoners. Two hundred and one prisoners were so classified during the year. One hundred and twelve prisoners were discharged, leaving 262 at the end of the year.

17. *A and B Class prisoners.*—Eighty-eight prisoners of these classes remained in the jails at the beginning of the year. Fifty-nine prisoners were received by direct committals, three by recommittal and nine by transfer from other jails. Twenty prisoners of the 'C' Class were reclassified to these classes during the year and three received from Headquarters hospitals, making a total of 182 for the year.

Ninety-one prisoners of the 'A' and 'B' Classes were released under Remissions Rules and on expiry of sentence. Twelve of them were released by orders of Government, three of them on appeal, four released on bail and twenty-two were transferred to other jails, two were transferred to the Headquarters Hospital and one was released on parole. One prisoner was reduced to Class 'C'. One prisoner died. Forty-five prisoners of these classes remained at the close of the year.

18. *Youthful offenders.*—One hundred and twenty-seven youthful offenders were admitted during the year against 174 in the previous year. Thirty under the age of 14 years were admitted as follows: Central Jail, Tiruchirappalli one, Presidency Jail for Women, Vellore, one, Sub-jail, Dhane three, Adoni six, Vijayavada four, Hospet three, Dharsi one, Ramanathapuram three, Ambasamudram two, Saidapet one, Poonamallee one, Nidamangalam one, Kallakurichi one, Villupuram one and Thiruragadi one.

19. *Borstal School.*—The number of Borstal inmates remaining at the commencement of the year was 768. During the year, 376 were admitted and 389 were discharged. One hundred and thirty-six inmates remained in the Borstal school, Alipuram, Bellary, consequent on the formation of the Andhra State, leaving 619 in the Borstal School, Palayamkottai, at the close of the year.

The adolescents in the five Central Jails at Rajahmundry, Vellore, Cannanore, Salem and Coimbatore were given modified borstal treatment. The number of adolescents in the modified Borstal sections of these jails was 867 at the beginning of the year. Five thousand four hundred and forty-three were admitted and 5,235 discharged. One hundred and thirteen remained at the Central Jail, Rajahmundry, on 1st October 1953 due to the separation of the Andhra State, leaving 962 in this State at the close of the year.

20. *Escapes and recaptures (convicts).*—There were twenty-one escapes of convicted prisoners during the year against 17 in the previous year. Of these, nine relate to Central Jails, one to the District Jail, Pudukkottai, four to the Borstal School, Palayamkottai, one to the Borstal School, Alipuram, and six to the Subsidiary Jails. Of these twenty-one escapes, two were from inside the jail and nineteen from extra-mural custody. The unexpired portion of the sentence of the thirteen escapees was less than one year, and of the rest above one year and under seven years.

The two escapes from inside were from the following institutions :—

| | |
|---|---|
| Borstal School, Palayamkottai | 1 |
| Borstal School, Alipuram, Bellary | 1 |

The Borstal School inmate effected his escape from the Palayamkottai school after 12 o'clock midnight by opening the door of the cell and scaling over the wall. The inmate was recaptured after two days. The inmate of the Borstal school, Alipuram, made good his escape at the time of lock-up. The persons responsible for the escapes were dealt with departmentally for their slackness.

The undermentioned institutions accounted for nineteen extra-mural escapes :—

| | |
|-------------------------------------|---|
| Central Jail, Salem | 1 |
| Central Jail, Bellary | 1 |
| Central Jail, Rajahmundry | 2 |
| Central Jail, Vellore | 2 |
| Central Jail, Visakhapatnam | 1 |
| Central Jail, Madurai | 1 |
| Alipuram Jail, Bellary | 1 |
| District Jail, Pudukkottai | 1 |

| | |
|-------------------------------------|----|
| Borstal School, Palayamkottai | 3 |
| Special Sub-Jail, Nellore | 2 |
| Sub-Jail, Tanjore | 1 |
| Sub-Jail, Villupuram | 1 |
| Sub-Jail, Salem | 2 |
| Total | 19 |

Departmental action was taken against the persons responsible.

21. *Offences and punishments.*—During the year five hundred and twenty-nine offences including two dealt with by courts were committed by convicts as against six hundred and two in the previous year. Of the five hundred and twenty-seven offences dealt with by the Superintendents, one hundred and two relate to work, one hundred and two to prohibited articles, forty-one to assaults, mutiny and escapes and two hundred and eighty-two to all other breaches of jail rules against one hundred and eleven, one hundred and thirty-eight, forty four and three hundred and three respectively in the previous year. Minor punishments were inflicted in two hundred and twenty-eight cases and major punishments in two hundred ninety-nine cases as compared with two hundred and fifty-two and three hundred and forty-four respectively in 1952.

The two cases dealt with by criminal courts relate to one escape and one hunger strike. The sentences imposed on these cases are four months rigorous imprisonment and two months simple imprisonment respectively.

The percentage of punishment (including the two cases dealt with by the criminal courts) to the daily average population decreased from 3.43 in 1952 to 2.75.

There were no unusual incidents or serious disturbances of any kind in the jails.

The conduct of the prisoners on the whole was good.

22. *Corporal punishments.*—No corporal punishment was awarded. The following table furnishes full particulars :—

| | 1952. | 1953. |
|--|--------|---------|
| 1 Total number of male prisoners, i.e., those remaining at the end of the year plus direct committals | 87,825 | 109,251 |
| 2 Total number of jail offences | 471 * | 446 * |
| 3 Total number of prisoners punished by whipping— | | |
| From 5 to 10 stripes | Nil. | Nil. |
| 11 to 15 do. | | |
| 16 to 20 do. | | |
| 4 Percentage of items 3 to 1 | Nil. | Nil. |
| 5 Do. 3 to 2 | | |
| 6 Total number of prisoners in whose cases (a) death or (b) illness has been directly or indirectly the effect of corporal punishment— | Nil. | Nil. |
| (a) Death | | |
| (b) Illness | | |

* Figures exclude the number of offences dealt with by the criminal courts, offences committed by female prisoners, offences committed in subsidiary jails and offences punished by warnings only.

23. *Conduct of the habituals.*—The number of habitual prisoners at the beginning of the year was 2,254 as against 1,727 in previous year. The number received by direct committal was 3,633 by transfer from jails in the State, 323 and outside the State 31 making a total of 6,241 against 4,636 in 1952. Habituals formed 5.40 per cent of the convict population of 115,641 against 5.01 per cent in 1952 and the percentage of punishments inflicted by the Superintendents for prison offences on habituals was 23.05 as against 23.98 in the previous year. No habitual prisoner was awarded corporal punishment during the year 1953. The conduct of the habituals was on the whole, satisfactory.

24. *Education of convicts.*—(i) Educational facilities are provided in all the jails except in Central Jail, Cuddalore for convicted prisoners who are likely to be benefited.

Education imparted in the jail schools does not go beyond the elementary stage and is not normally given to prisoners above the age of 30 years. Prisoners who desire education after the elementary stage are given necessary books and available assistance. The officers of the Education Department visited the schools regularly. Education on model lines continued to be imparted by the teachers trained in Adult Education in the Central Jails at Coimbatore, Vellore, Tiruchirappalli, Bellary, Cannanore, Rajahmundry and Penitentiary, Madras.

The number of convicts and borstal inmates on the rolls of the school at the commencement of the year was 1,944. One thousand seven hundred and sixty-one were admitted and 1,635 discharged, 336 belonged to the Andhra and Mysore States leaving 1,734 at the end of the year. The table below indicates the standard of literacy achieved by those discharged during the year :—

| | On admission. | | On discharge. | |
|----------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|
| | Number. | Percentage. | Number. | Percentage. |
| Literates .. | 516 | 31.56 | 796 | 48.69 |
| Illiterates .. | 1,119 | 68.45 | 839 | 51.31 |

The libraries attached to the schools in the several jails serve the needs of the prisoners. They contain an adequate number of useful books for the benefit of prisoners, who are permitted to make a free use of them. The number of books in the jail libraries at the beginning of the year was 17,119. Seven hundred and seventy-five books were added to the libraries and 680 books too worn out for use were condemned. At the close of the year 11,217 books remained in the libraries, excluding 5,997 books which remained in the jails in the Andhra State.

(ii) *Moral and religious lectures.*—Lectures on religious and moral subjects were regularly given by the honorary lecturers and by the members of the teaching staff to the prisoners confined in the jails. The number of lectures delivered to the prisoners was 1,498 (857 by Christians, 361 by Hindus and 280 by Muslims). The conveyance allowance paid to the Christian Lecturers was Rs. 343-8-0, for the Hindu Lecturers Rs. 459-6-0, and for the Muslim Lecturers was Rs. 417-3-0.

Training in Ambulance and First-Aid continued to be given during the year.

25. *Aid on discharge.*—Out of 84,417 prisoners discharged, 1,346 were helped in several ways and after-care officers were appointed for 668—vide statement below :—

| | Number of ex-prisoners assisted during | | Number of ex-prisoners for whom after-care officers were appointed during | |
|-----------------------------|--|-------|---|-------|
| | 1952. | 1953. | 1952. | 1953. |
| Central Society, Madras .. | 239 | 248 | 4 | 10 |
| District Societies— | | | | |
| Rajahmundry | 135 | 155 | 22 | .. |
| Vellore (North Arcot) .. | 36 | 41 | 23 | 22 |
| Tiruchirappalli | .. | 36 | 44 | 34 |
| Coimbatore | 23 | 11 | 121 | 90 |
| Kozhikode (Malabar) .. | .. | .. | 42 | 31 |
| Salem | 88 | 333 | 127 | 90 |
| Cannanore | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bellary | 2 | 255 | 10 | 5 |
| Visakhapatnam | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Srikakulam | 1 | .. | 17 | 2 |
| Tanjore | .. | .. | 31 | 26 |
| Tirunelveli | .. | .. | 49 | 56 |
| Cuddalore (South Arcot) .. | .. | .. | 12 | 14 |
| Madurai | 7 | 96 | 44 | 31 |
| Ramanathapuram | 230 | 168 | 28 | 25 |
| Nellore | .. | .. | 23 | 25 |
| Mangalore (South Kanara) .. | 6 | 3 | 20 | 29 |
| Cuddapah | .. | .. | 36 | 14 |
| Chingleput | .. | .. | 22 | 14 |
| Chittoor | .. | .. | 16 | 10 |

| | Number of ex-prisoners assisted during | | Number of ex-prisoners for whom after-care orders were applied during | |
|-----------------------|--|-------|---|-------|
| | 1952. | 1953 | 1952 | 1953. |
| Anantapur | .. | .. | 17 | 10 |
| Godavari (West) | .. | .. | 26 | 31 |
| Guntur | .. | .. | 16 | 22 |
| Godavari (East) | .. | .. | .. | 23 |
| Krishna | .. | .. | 19 | 17 |
| Kurnool | .. | .. | 47 | 27 |
| Nilgiris | .. | .. | 6 | 5 |
| Total | 767 | 1,346 | 222 | 668 |

As usual, the Central and District Committees continued to render every possible help to discharged prisoners and inmates who sought their help. All the Honorary Secretaries evinced interest in the rehabilitation of ex-prisoners and inmates. I wish to place on record the gratitude of the department for their good work and trust that the enthusiasm will continue.

26. *Fetters*.—Link fetters as punishment for offences against jail discipline were imposed on ninety-six prisoners against seventy-seven prisoners in the previous year.

27. *Working of remission system*.—The result of the working of the remission system is shown in Statement 'C' appended to this report. It is working satisfactorily.

The number of prisoners released under the remission rules during the year was 17,122 as against 17,760 in the year 1952.

One thousand six hundred and fifty-two prisoners were awarded good conduct remission against 2,292 in the previous year. Special remission under clauses 1, 2 and 3 of rule 324 of the Madras Prison and Reformatory Manual, Volume II, was awarded to 3,263 prisoners against 3,565 in 1952. No prisoner was given money in lieu of remission for extra work done. Of the prisoners released under the remission rules, the maximum remission earned by anyone convict was 3518 days and the maximum gratuity of Rs. 37-13-0 was earned by a convict in Central Jail, Cannanore. Among the prisoners released during the year, 716 earned an aggregate sum of Rs. 674-4-0 as gratuity. In lieu of a part of this amount, viz., Rs. 490-10-0, the prisoners were granted a remission of 3,986 days.

During the year, there was heavy overcrowding in all jails except the Central Jail, Cannanore, in the State. To relieve overcrowding, Government ordered the release of prisoners on certain conditions laid down in the G.O.s mentioned below. The number of prisoners who were so released is given below :—

| | Number of prisoners released. |
|--|-------------------------------------|
| G.O. Ms. No. 85, Home, dated 8th January 1953 .. | 1,047 |
| G.O. Ms. No. 470, Home, dated 9th February 1953 .. | 1 |
| G.O. Ms. No. 726, Home, dated 3rd March 1953 .. | 1,991 |
| G.O. Ms. No. 2,200, Home, dated 7th July 1953 .. | 2,161 |
| | 5,200 |

28. *Advisory Board*.—Seventy meetings of the Advisory Board were held in jails during the year. The cases of 1,116 prisoners came under the consideration of the Board and 274 of them were recommended for premature release. The cases of 413 prisoners (including lifers and members of Criminal Tribes not recommended by the Board) were submitted to Government for orders. The remaining 703 cases were not submitted as they are not required to be sent.

Of the 62 cases pending disposal at the beginning of the year, the Government ordered the release of 35 prisoners and the cases of the remaining 27 prisoners were rejected by the Government.

Of the 413 cases submitted to the Government during the year, the release of 113 prisoners was ordered and the cases of 228 prisoners were turned down. Orders of Government were pending in respect of 52 prisoners at the end of the year.

29. *Total expenditure*.—The total expenditure of the department, excluding the outlay on jail buildings by the Public Works Department, the expenditure relating to the Certified Schools and the charges in England was Rs. 1,29,05,255-1-3 against Rs. 1,22,99,414-13-11 during the previous year. The increase in expenditure, viz., Rs. 6,05,840-3-4 is mainly on account of the overcrowding in jails and purchase of ration articles from co-operative stores at current market rates.

From the total expenditure of Rs. 1,29,05,255-1-3, a sum of Rs. 25,53,355-6-7 (details furnished below) has been deducted and a sum of Rs. 3,562-8-1, being the value of stationery articles supplied to the jails by the Stationery department, has been included as expenditure under 'Contingencies'. The total expenditure in guarding and maintaining the prisoners in the jails and sub-jails of this State during 1953 was therefore Rs. 1,03,55,462-2-9 or Rs. 1,03,55,462 roundly as exhibited in Financial Statement No. IX against Rs. 90,69,551 in the previous year.

| | Amount of expenditure during the year 1953. | |
|---|---|-------|
| | RS. | A. P. |
| 1 Charges on general supervision | 1,44,392 | 8 0 |
| 2 Charges on petty construction and repairs including works costing more than Rs. 5,000 | 95,760 | 6 10 |
| 3 Charges on jail manufactures including quinine | 20,67,907 | 13 9 |
| 4 Sale-proceeds of vegetables, dairy produce, condemned articles of civil stores and recoveries of overpayments | 33,122 | 9 3 |
| 5 Charges payable to other Governments on account of Madras prisoners confined elsewhere | 5,675 | 1 10 |
| 6 Difference between the value of ration articles at the beginning of the year and that at the closing of the year .. | — 19,342 | 11 2 |
| 7 Administration of the Probation of Offenders Act | 2,25,839 | 10 1 |
| Total | 25,53,355 | 6 7 |

Paragraphs 30 to 39.—Omitted.

Statement of Expenditure for the Jail Department, 1953.

| Class of expenditure. | 1952. | | 1953. | |
|--|-----------|----------------|-------------|----------------|
| | Amount. | Cost per head. | Amount. | Cost per head. |
| | RS. | RS. A. P. | RS. | RS. A. P. |
| 1 Establishment charges | 18,55,087 | 72 15 6 | 17,19,452 | 64 11 3 |
| 2 Dietary charges .. | 55,40,610 | 218 5 11 | 66,62,902 | 251 8 0 |
| 3 Hospital charges .. | 4,10,863 | 16 2 7 | 3,93,780 | 14 13 1 |
| 4 Clothing and bedding. | 2,97,326 | 11 11 1 | 4,48,424 | 16 8 9 |
| 5 Sanitation charges .. | 1,89,307 | 7 7 2 | 2,11,378 | 7 15 3 |
| 6 Transport of prisoners. | 2,33,062 | 9 2 8 | 3,08,739 | 11 9 11 |
| 7 Miscellaneous services and supplies. | 2,74,268 | 10 12 7 | 3,78,602 | 14 3 11 |
| 8 Travelling allowance .. | 27,691 | 1 1 8 | 17,854 | 0 10 9 |
| 9 Contingencies | 1,74,504 | 6 13 10 | 1,41,911 | 5 5 5 |
| 10 Livestock, tools and plant .. | 66,831 | 2 10 1 | 72,420 | 2 11 7 |
| Total | 90,69,551 | 356 11 8 | 1,03,55,462 | 389 11 0 |

40. *Jail dairies*.—The dairies in the Central Jails at Tiruchirappalli, Coimbatore and Salem continued to work satisfactorily during the year. Proposals have been submitted to Government, to close down the dairy at Central Jail, Cannanore (vide letter No. A5/1478/53, dated 21st January 1954). The dairy at the Central

Jail, Vellore, has shown a loss of Rs. 2,223-1-4 against a profit of Rs. 394 in the previous year. The loss is due to the fact that there were only eight animals on average which yielded milk. Besides, more than ten heifer calves whose ages range from three to four years had to be maintained without any return and this factor also contributed to the loss sustained. There are expected to add to the yield of milk in another year or two when the dairy can be maintained profitably. In 1952, a sum of Rs. 2,114 was realized by sale of dairy animals which was added to receipts while no such sale was effected this year.

The total value of milk produced in the jail dairies during the year amounted to Rs. 1,34,247-10-6 against Rs. 1,19,715-8-2 in the previous year. The amount realized by sale of bulls, bull-calves, unserviceable aged cows and crossing fees was Rs. 1,731 against Rs. 5,618 during the previous year.

41. *Statement G.—Omitted.*

42. *Grand total.*—The grand total of expenditure as exhibited in column (14) of Statement No. IX increased from Rs. 90,69,551 to Rs. 1,03,55,462 during the year. The average cost per head per annum has increased from Rs. 356-11-8 to Rs. 389-11-0 during the year. The rise in the cost per head is mainly on account of increased expenditure under “dietary charges”, “Clothing and bedding”, “transport of prisoners”, “Other miscellaneous charges and sanitation charges.”

43. *Statement XI—Employment of convicts.*—The average number of convicts under sentence of labour on working days during the year was 18,583-71 against 14,997-57 in the previous year. The number of convicts not sentenced to labour was 660-21 against 389-30 in 1952. During the year, the average number of sick decreased from 206-83 to 197-81. The average number of the convalescent and infirm increased from 843-65 in 1952 to 848-76. The average number of convicts employed on manufactures was 7,086-56, on gardening 2,234-48, in the preparation of articles for use in jails 1,210-13, as prison officers 996-88 and as prison servants 1,489-15 against 5,863-00, 1,151-45, 974-48, 899-80 and 1,274-85, respectively, in the previous year.

44. *Statement XII-A.*—The total receipts of the department excluding those under “Quinine Manufactures” amounted to Rs. 32,26,575-4-1 against Rs. 32,26,167-9-2 in the previous year. Out of the total receipts, a sum of Rs. 1,70,849-14-3 (details furnished below)* has been deducted and the balance of Rs. 30,55,725-5-10 or Rs. 30,55,725-6-0 roundly has been exhibited under column 5 (g) of Statement No. XII-A.

| | Rs. | A. | P. |
|---|----------|----|----|
| *1 Hire of convicts | 68,047 | 1 | 5 |
| 2 Recoveries of transportation and jail charges on account of prisoners belonging to other States and confined in the jails of this State | 7,173 | 12 | 0 |
| 3 Miscellaneous jail receipts | 81,620 | 14 | 9 |
| 4 Recoveries of overpayments | 8,569 | 0 | 11 |
| 5 Collection of payments for services rendered. | 1,055 | 14 | 9 |
| 6 Rent on jail buildings | 668 | 2 | 0 |
| 7 Deduct—Refunds | 1,042 | 14 | 7 |
| 8 Manufactory receipts of special sub-jails | 4,757 | 15 | 3 |
| Total | 1,70,849 | 14 | 3 |

The amount paid into the treasury shown in column 5 (g) of Statement No. XII-A and the cost of extramural labour supplied to Government departments and private individuals aggregate to Rs. 31,19,559-12-0 and this represents the cash earnings during the year against Rs. 29,80,451-3-0 in the previous year. The Central Jail, Coimbatore, shows the largest cash earnings, viz., Rs. 13,97,954-0-2 against Rs. 14,96,393-9-1 in the previous year. Among the other jails, the Central Jail at Vellore has done well with a cash earning of Rs. 4,72,442-1-10 against Rs. 5,19,588-10-9 in the previous year.

The value of supplies made to some of the public consuming departments is summarized below :—

| Departments | 19 0. | 1951. | 1952. | 1953. |
|---------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. |
| Police department .. | 6,06,302 | 8,83,093 | 9,50,222 | 7,04,494 |
| Forest department .. | 40,418 | 35,291 | 34,543 | 49,839 |
| Stationery department. | 1,35,613 | 1,25,842 | 77,025 | 2,26,750 |
| Postal and Defence departments. | 3,697 | .. | .. | .. |
| Medical department. | 4,87,582 | 8,19,913 | 11,05,552 | 11,52,231 |
| Total .. | 12,73,642 | 18,63,639 | 21,67,342 | 21,33,314 |

In addition to the above, inter jail supplies to the value of Rs. 7,14,321-12-5 have been made during the year against Rs. 6,30,224-3-6 in the previous year.

The total profit for the year, taking into account the opening and closing balance of cash, stock, tools and plant, etc., amounted to Rs. 7,00,273-2-0 against Rs. 7,90,586-11-0 in the previous year. The fall in the total profit is due to the formation of the Andhra State and the consequent taking over of the manufactory stores, plant and tools, etc., of the Central Jails at Visakhapatnam, Rajahmundry and Bellary by the respective States.

The Central Jail, Coimbatore, shows an asset of Rs. 4,07,844-5-4 against Rs. 2,39,998-3-0 in the previous year. Among the other jails, the Central Jail, Vellore, shows an asset of Rs. 1,11,546-6-5 against Rs. 1,43,801-3-10 in the previous year.

The cost of distribution of quinine products to various institutions during the year amounted to Rs. 38,138-4-0 against Rs. 42,258-1-3 in the previous year. The profit in the quinine section at 20 per cent on the cost of distribution comes to Rs. 7,627-10-5 against Rs. 8,451-9-10 during the previous year.

45. *Statement XII-B.*—The total value of articles manufactured in jails during the year amounted to Rs. 32,90,840-5-2 against Rs. 31,53,813-8-2 in the previous year. The percentage of convicts employed on manufacture during the year was 39-86 against 42-26 in the previous year.

46. *Statement XIII.*—The total cost of maintenance under column (14) of Financial Statement No. IX is Rs. 1,03,55,462 and the total “net profits” as exhibited in column 6 (a) of Statement XII-A is Rs. 7,00,273-2-0. The net cost for maintaining prisoners during the year works out to Rs. 96,55,188-14-0 against Rupees 82,78,964-5-0 in the previous year. The net cost per head works out to Rs. 363-5-0 per annum against Rs. 325-10-0 per annum in the previous year. The reasons for the increase in the cost per head are explained in paragraph 42 above.

47. *Value of supplies made by jails for departmental use.*—The value of inter-jail supplies amounted to Rs. 7,14,321-12-5 against Rs. 6,30,224-3-6 in the previous year. The total quantity of vegetables produced by jails during the year amounted to 2,791,915 lb. against 2,560,771 lb. in the previous year. The cost of vegetables produced in the jail works out to Rs. 3,15,466-9-10 at market rates against Rs. 3,14,778-15-7 in the previous year. All the waste water is being used for gardening purposes. A sum of Rs. 1,814-4-0 was realized during the year on account of convict labour supplied to the Quinine section of the Central Jail, Coimbatore, against Rs. 1,645-9-0 in the previous year. The value of convict labour supplied to the Government Press, Madras, amounted to Rs. 60,598-10-0 against Rs. 59,073-12-0 in the previous year. A sum of Rs. 205-2-0 was realized during the year on account of convict labour supplied to the Public Works Department against Rs. 176-12-0 in the previous year.

48. *Vital Statistics—Statement XIV—Sickness and mortality.*—The following statement gives particulars of

the sickness and mortality rates for the year 1953 and the four preceding years:—

| Year. | Daily average number of prisoners. | Daily average number of sick. | Ratio of sick to strength. | Deaths | | Death rate. | |
|-------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------------|
| | | | | From cholera. | From other causes. | From cholera. | From other causes. |
| 1949 | 25,611.2 | 117.8 | 11.63 | .. | .. | .. | 1.64 |
| 1950 | 25,514.94 | 20.92 | 1.42 | .. | .. | .. | 2.27 |
| 1951 | 25,188.02 | 97.28 | 11.73 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 1952 | 25,424.06 | 26.84 | 10.37 | 2 | 168 | 0.11 | 6.61 |
| 1953 | 25,371.14 | 11.68 | 10.7 | .. | .. | .. | 5.10 |

Though the total number of admissions to and deaths at hospital increased from nine thousand one hundred and twenty to ten thousand one hundred and thirty-four and one hundred and sixty-eight to two hundred and eighteen respectively, the daily average number of sick fell from 268.84 to 26.908. The ratio per mille of average strength of admissions to hospitals and the death-rate per mille were 381.36 and 8.20 against 358.71 and 6.61 in the previous year. The increase in the number of admissions to hospital, daily average sick and deaths is due to the larger prison population dealt with during the year.

There were one hundred and sixty-four deaths among convicts and fifty-three among undertrials against one hundred and twenty-seven and forty-one respectively, in the previous year. There was one death among civil debtors. There were no deaths among security prisoners.

Subsidiary jails recorded nineteen deaths as against twenty-one in the year 1952. Among the nineteen, four were convicts and the rest undertrials. The remaining one hundred and ninety-nine deaths relate to Central, District and Special Jails. One death which occurred in the Government Wellesley Tuberculosis Sanatorium, Bellary, was debited to the jail from which the prisoner was released under Rule 515-B, Volume II, Madras Prison and Reformatory Manual, for treatment. The number of deaths in the civil hospitals was forty-two. Of this number, seven relate to the Central Jail, Tiruchirappalli, six to the Penitentiary, Madras, four each to the Central Jails at Bellary, Visakhapatnam and Alipuram, three each to the Central Jail, Vellore and the Central Jail, Cuddalore, one each to the Central Jail, Salem, the District Jail, Pudukkottai, and the Borstal School, Palayamkottai. The remaining eight deaths relate to the subsidiary jails.

49. *Death-rate in several classes of jails.*—The following statement shows the death-rate per mille in several classes of jails as compared with that of the previous year:—

| Classes of jails. | Deaths. | | Death-rate | |
|-------------------------------|---------|-------|------------|-------|
| | 1952. | 1953. | 1952. | 1953. |
| Central Jails .. | 143 | 192 | 8.94 | 10.44 |
| District and Special Jails .. | 4 | 7 | 2.80 | 4.32 |
| Subsidiary Jails .. | 21 | 19 | 2.62 | 2.89 |

50. The following statement shows the number of admissions into hospitals, number of deaths and death-rate per mille in the several jails as compared with that of the previous year:—

| Jails. | Admissions to hospitals. | | Number of deaths. | | Death-rate per mille. | |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------|-------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|
| | 1952. | 1953. | 1952. | 1953. | 1952. | 1953. |
| Central Jail, Rajahmundry. | 550 | 489 | 7 | 16 | 5.06 | 14.55 |
| Do. Vellore .. | 335 | 443 | 19 | 7 | 9.40 | 3.07 |
| Do. Tiruchirappalli. | 1,169 | 1,745 | 21 | 47 | 11.16 | 16.83 |
| Do. Coimbatore .. | 819 | 530 | 14 | 22 | 6.14 | 7.10 |
| Penitentiary, Madras. | 1,338 | 940 | 8 | 8 | 5.21 | 4.56 |
| Central Jail, Cannanore .. | 76 | 92 | 6 | 10 | 6.18 | 7.64 |
| Do. Salem .. | 231 | 192 | 7 | 9 | 5.97 | 5.01 |
| Do. Bellary .. | 356 | 236 | 5 | 4 | 6.03 | 5.12 |
| Do. Visakhapatnam. | 153 | 121 | 9 | 4 | 17.36 | 9.53 |
| Do. Madurai .. | 639 | 616 | 21 | 44 | 15.25 | 21.73 |
| Alipuram Jail, Bellary .. | 135 | 90 | 23 | 9 | 36.21 | 17.68 |
| Boypuram Camp Jail, Kaggulla. | 752 | .. | 1 | .. | 1.21 | .. |
| Central Jail, Cuddalore .. | 288 | 291 | 2 | 12 | 3.41 | 15.61 |
| Presidency Jail for Women, Vellore. | 66 | 99 | .. | 3 | .. | 5.15 |
| Borstal School, Palayamkottai. | 197 | 166 | .. | 1 | .. | 1.63 |
| Borstal School, Alipuram. | 30 | 40 | 1 | .. | 7.43 | .. |
| District Jail, Pudukkottai. | 94 | 114 | 3 | 3 | 16.96 | 9.35 |
| Total .. | 7,228 | 6,184 | 147 | 199 | 8.44 | 9.95 |

The number of admissions to hospitals in the jails, excluding the subsidiary jails, decreased from seven thousand and two hundred and twenty-eight in 1952 to six thousand one hundred and eighty-four during the year under report. The Central Jail, Tiruchirappalli, shows the largest number of admissions, while the Penitentiary, Madras, comes next.

The daily average number of sick excluding subsidiary jails decreased from 252.83 in the previous year to 229.64 during the year.

The number of deaths and the death-rate per mille of average strength increased from 147 to 199 and 8.44 to 9.95 respectively during the year under report. The one hundred and ninety-nine deaths during the year were due to malarial fever three, pneumonia thirteen, general respiratory diseases, eight and one hundred and seventy-five to all other causes. Every possible care and attention in regard to nursing, treatment, diet and other remedial measures were bestowed upon the patients.

51. *Subsidiary jails.*—The number of admissions to hospitals and the daily average sick increased from one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two to four thousand and 16.01 to 19.46 respectively. The death-rate shows an increase when compared with the previous year (i.e.) 2.62 to 2.89. There were nineteen deaths during the year of which fifteen relate to undertrials and the rest to convicts. Malabar district recorded nine deaths and East Godavari, Madurai, Tanjore, North Arcot, South Arcot, Tiruchirappalli, Anantapur, Chingleput, South Kanara and Salem districts one each.

52. *Health of prisoners repatriated from Andamans.*—The Andaman Colonization Scheme has been abolished—Omitted.

53. *Statement XV—Classes of diseases.*—The following statement shows the rate of admissions to hospital and the death-rate per mille of average strength against the chief diseases for the year 1953 and the three preceding years in the Central, District and Special Jails:—

| Diseases. | Rate per mille of average strength. | | | |
|--|-------------------------------------|--------|------------|--------|
| | 1950. | | 1951. | |
| | Admission. | Death. | Admission. | Death. |
| Cholera .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dysentery .. | 22.70 | 1.37 | 37.47 | 0.19 |
| Malarial fevers .. | 42.59 | 0.27 | 42.61 | 0.19 |
| Pulmonary tuberculosis and hæmoptysis due to tuberculosis. | 5.01 | 1.03 | 6.03 | 1.57 |
| Other tubercular diseases .. | 0.62 | 1.21 | 1.19 | .. |
| Anæmia and debility .. | 18.41 | 1.03 | 19.99 | 0.63 |
| Other general diseases .. | 201.24 | 4.53 | 303.58 | 7.39 |
| Pneumonia .. | 7.41 | 1.30 | 8.33 | 0.44 |
| Other respiratory diseases .. | 17.08 | 0.48 | 24.06 | 0.44 |
| Diarrhoea .. | 17.90 | 0.82 | 45.11 | 1.50 |
| Abscess, boils and ulcers of all kinds. | 21.12 | 0.07 | 21.93 | .. |
| All other causes .. | 14.61 | 1.58 | 15.04 | 0.06 |
| Total .. | 364.09 | 12.48 | 525.39 | 12.41 |

| Diseases. | Rates per mille of average strength. | | | |
|--|--------------------------------------|--------|------------|--------|
| | 1952. | | 1953. | |
| | Admission. | Death. | Admission. | Death. |
| Cholera .. | 0.19 | 0.12 | .. | .. |
| Dysentery .. | 25.72 | 0.12 | 27.67 | 0.29 |
| Malarial fevers .. | 25.91 | 0.26 | 17.29 | 0.11 |
| Pulmonary tuberculosis and hæmoptysis due to tuberculosis. | 5.67 | 0.83 | 8.22 | 1.36 |
| Other tubercular diseases .. | 1.08 | .. | 0.51 | .. |
| Anæmia and debility .. | 17.42 | 0.64 | 14.61 | 0.86 |
| Other general diseases .. | 253.06 | 4.97 | 166.61 | 5.65 |
| Pneumonia .. | 8.69 | 0.26 | 6.33 | 0.46 |
| Other respiratory diseases .. | 19.53 | 0.57 | 29.10 | 0.40 |
| Diarrhoea .. | 25.02 | 0.26 | 9.18 | 0.06 |
| Abscess, boils and ulcers of all kinds. | 15.76 | .. | 27.50 | .. |
| All other causes .. | 397.94 | 8.04 | 301.78 | 9.18 |
| Total .. | 795.99 | 16.07 | 608.75 | 18.32 |

CHIEF DISEASES.

54. *Cholera.*—There was no admission and death during the year against three admissions and two deaths in the year 1952.

Dysentery.—There were four hundred and eighty-five admissions, and five deaths against four hundred and

one and two respectively in the previous year. Of these admissions, three hundred and two were in the Central Jail, Tiruchirappalli, thirty-two each in the Penitentiary, Madras and Central Jail, Rajahmundry, twenty-five in the Central Jail, Madurai, twenty-four in the Central Jail, Cuddalore, eighteen in the Central Jail, Coimbatore, fifteen in the Central Jail, Bellary, eight in the Central Jail, Vellore, seven in the Central Jail, Visakhapatnam, six in the Alipuram Jail, Bellary, five in the Central Jail, Salem, four in the District Jail, Pudukkottai, three in the Central Jail, Cannanore, two in the Presidency Jail for Women, Vellore, one each in the Borstal School, Palayamkottai and the Borstal School, Alipuram, Bellary. Of the five deaths during the year, three relates to the Central Jail, Tiruchirappalli, and one each to the Central Jail, Cannanore, and the Central Jail, Cuddalore.

Malarial fevers.—The number of admissions and death under this disease decreased from four hundred and six to three hundred and three and four to two respectively during the year. The Central Jail, Tiruchirappalli, recorded the largest admissions (viz.), eighty-five. Admissions in other jails were Central Jail, Coimbatore, thirty-six, the Penitentiary, Madras, and the District Jail, Pudukkottai, thirty each, the Central Jail, Rajahmundry, nineteen, the Central Jail, Cannanore, and the Central Jail, Bellary, sixteen each, the Central Jail, Visakhapatnam, and the Alipuram Jail, Bellary, fifteen each, the Presidency Jail for Women, Vellore, thirteen, the Central Jail, Cuddalore, eleven, the Alipuram Borstal School, nine and the Central Jail, Vellore, and the Central Jail, Madurai, four each. Of the two deaths, one relates to the Central Jail, Tiruchirappalli, and the other to the Alipuram Jail, Bellary.

Tuberculosis.—The admissions under this disease were one hundred and forty-four against eighty-nine in the previous year. One death occurred in the Government Wellesley Tuberculosis Sanatorium, Bellary, as against four in 1952 and this was debited to the jails concerned. Including the debits, the number of deaths in the jails were twenty-three, as against thirteen in the previous year. The details of the jails are:—

| | |
|------------------------------------|---|
| Central Jail, Coimbatore | 6 |
| Do. Madurai | 5 |
| Do. Tiruchirappalli | 4 |
| Do. Visakhapatnam | 2 |
| Do. Rajahmundry | 1 |
| Do. Vellore | 1 |
| Do. Bellary | 1 |
| Do. Cuddalore | 1 |
| The Penitentiary, Madras | 1 |
| District Jail, Pudukkottai | 1 |

Total .. 23

Pneumonia.—The number of admissions and deaths during the year were one hundred and eleven and eight respectively, against one hundred and thirty-six and four in the year 1952. Of the eight deaths, three each relate to the Central Jail, Tiruchirappalli and the Central Jail, Madurai, two to the Central Jail, Cuddalore.

Anæmia and debility.—The number of admissions and deaths due to this disease was two hundred and fifty-six and fifteen respectively against two hundred and seventy-three and ten in 1952. The Central Jail, Madurai, recorded five deaths, Central Jail, Rajahmundry, and the Central Jail, Tiruchirappalli, four deaths each and Alipuram Jail, Bellary, and Presidency Jail for Women, Vellore one death each.

Ankylostomiasis.—There were three admissions and no death during the year while there were seven admissions and no death in 1952. Of the three admissions two relate to the Central Jail, Madurai, and one to the Central Jail, Coimbatore.

Enteric fever.—There were twenty-eight admissions and one death during the year against eight and one respectively in 1952.

Syphilis.—The number admitted was forty-two against one hundred and fifty-three in 1952.

Cerebro-spinal meningitis.—There were two admissions and one death during the year while nil in 1952.

55. **Number of deaths according to length of time passed in jails.**—Of the one hundred and sixty deaths in the Central, District and Special Jails, one hundred and ten died within six months after their admission and fifty after six months against eighty-seven and thirty-nine respectively in the year 1952. Of the one hundred and ten deaths, thirty-three occurred in the Central Jail, Tiruchirappalli, nineteen in the Central Jail, Madurai, thirteen in the Central Jail, Rajahmundry, twelve in the Central Jail, Cuddalore, ten in the Central Jail, Coimbatore, six each in the Central Jail, Cannanore, and Alipuram Jail, Bellary, three in the Central Jail, Vellore, two each in the Central Jail, Salem, and the Presidency Jail for Women, Vellore, and one each in the Central Jail, Bellary, the Central Jail, Visakhapatnam, the District Jail, Pudukkottai, and the Borstal School, Palayamkottai.

56. **Prisoners' weightment—Statement 'B'.**—The number of prisoners released in the year 1953 was ninety-two thousand eight hundred and twenty-three. Of this number forty-seven thousand six hundred and fifty-two or 51.34 per cent gained weight, two thousand one hundred and ninety-four or 2.36 per cent lost weight and forty-two thousand nine hundred and seventy-seven or 46.30 per cent remained stationary against 37,490 or 51.41 per cent, four thousand two hundred and two or 5.72 per cent and thirty-one thousand six hundred and sixteen or 52.73 per cent, respectively, in the previous year.

57. **Water-supply.**—All the jails except those at Rajahmundry, Cannanore, Salem and Cuddalore are connected with the Municipal water-supply. These jails obtain water-supply from the wells inside or outside the jail. All the wells are protected against accidents or contamination.

The King Institute, Guindy, analyses the water of all the jails periodically. Any defects brought to notice are being attended to and immediately rectified. Drinking water is systematically chlorinated and field tests carried out to maintain efficient sterilization. The Tiruchirappalli Municipality was not in a position to supply the minimum requirements of the Central Jail, Tiruchirappalli, i.e., 15,000 gallons per day, as agreed and the Railway authorities have been moved for the supply of water from the Golden Rock reservoir, Tiruchirappalli, to the Central Jail, Tiruchirappalli. This proposal is pending with the Government.

58. **Grow More Food Campaign.**—Every effort is being made to cultivate all the available lands in the jails to grow more food. The production of vegetables in the jail gardens shows a fair increase in some of the jails on account of the successful monsoon this year. The total quantity of vegetables raised in the jail gardens of some important jails is furnished below:—

| Jails. | 1952. LB. | 1953. LB. |
|-------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Central Jail, Vellore | 368,694 | 286,884 |
| Do. Madurai | 234,269 | 322,310 |
| Do. Tiruchirappalli | 308,702 | 462,389 |
| Do. Coimbatore | 219,389 | 287,646 |
| Do. Salem | 213,879 | 261,957 |

MISCELLANEOUS AND CONCLUDING REMARKS.

59. **Visits to jails.**—The number of visits paid by official and non-official visitors was four hundred and twenty-eight against three hundred and forty-three during the year 1952. One thousand four hundred and ninety-eight visits were paid by the religious and moral lecturers for imparting religious and moral instructions against one thousand five hundred and fifty-five in 1952.

The Governor of Madras visited the Special Sub-Jail, Mangalore, and the Borstal School, Palayamkottai during the year. The Minister for Law visited the Central Jail, Madurai, Central Jail, Vellore, Presidency Jail for Women, Vellore, and Special Sub-Jail, Mangalore. The Minister for Rural Welfare and the Minister for Prohibition visited the Presidency Jail for Women, Vellore.

60. **Inspections.**—Sri S. A. Iyengar, I.C.S., who held charge of the post of Inspector-General of Prisons up to 15th May 1953, conducted the inspection of the Central Jail, Tiruchirappalli, the Special Sub-Jail, Tiruchirappalli, the Special Sub-Jail (Males), Salem, the Special Sub-Jail, Kozhikode, the Special Sub-Jail, Mangalore, the Presidency Jail for Women, Vellore and the Central Jail, Coimbatore. Sri V. Hanumanta Rao, I.A.S., my predecessor, conducted the inspection of the Central

Jail, Vellore, the District Jail, Pudukkottai, the Borstal School, Palayamkottai and Central Jail, Madurai. I inspected the remaining jails and also paid additional visits as required by rules. During 1953, the subsidiary jails at Anakapalle, Tuticorin, Kokkirakulam, Cuddalore, Chingleput, Tindivanam, Tirumangalam, Usilampatti, Nilakkottai, Dindigul, Sub-Jail (females), Salem, Vellore, Coonoor, Ootacamund and Mottupalayam were visited by Sri S. A. Iyengar, the subsidiary jails at Ambasamudram, Tenkasi, Hospet, Kurnool and Ramanathapuram were visited by Sri V. Hanumata Rao, my predecessor, and the subsidiary jails at Cuddalore, Cannanore, Salem, Vellore and Kokkirakulam were visited by me.

The number of inspections of subsidiary jails made by the District Magistrate and Additional District Magistrate and Subdivisional Magistrate was 603 and by the District Medical Officers, 38. Number of visits paid by other visitors is furnished below :—

| | | |
|---|-------|----|
| District and Sessions Judges | .. .. | 44 |
| Inspectors of Police and Deputy Inspector-General of Police | .. .. | 4 |
| District and Municipal Health Officers | .. .. | 12 |

The total number of inspections and visits paid by official and non-official visitors was 1,138 against 2,038 in the previous year. The number of visits paid by the members of the Legislature and special visitors to the jails in the State was 12.

61. *Records—Civil Stores and Service Registers.*—The rules relating to the maintenance of the service registers and leave accounts and the periodical destruction of records were complied with and inventories of stores in the various jails and in my office were written up to the end of the year.

62. *The important events and notable administrative measures undertaken during the year were as follows.*—(1) The New State Andhra formed with effect from 1st October 1953. The following jails of the Composite State situated in the Andhra area were handed over to the New State :—

- (1) Central Jail, Visakhapatnam.
- (2) Central Jail, Rajahmundry.
- (3) Special Sub-Jail, Nellore.

(2) The following institutions went to the Mysore State on 1st October 1953 :—

- (1) Central Jail, Bellary.
- (2) Alipuram Jail, Bellary.
- (3) Alipuram Borstal School, Bellary.

(3) Grant of uniform allowance Rs. 60 to the Jailors of Special Sub-Jail, Mangalore, Kozhikode, Tiruchirappalli and Salem in lieu of uniforms.

(4) Reduction of period of jail duty of Civil Assistant Surgeons from three to two years.

(5) Issue of four ounces of onions once a week in lieu of four ounces vegetables.

(6) Appointment of Honorary Religious and Moral Lecturers in the Special Sub-Jail, Nellore, Kozhikode, Mangalore, Tiruchirappalli and Salem.

(7) The supply to prisoners in jails at Government cost of either the Tamil Weekly 'Ananda Vikatan' or 'Kalki' in place of 'Kalaimagal' which is a very high standard monthly.

(8) The District Judge is to preside over the meeting of the Advisory Board in the mufassal in the absence of the Inspector-General of Prisons or Collector or District Magistrate with a view not to postpone the meetings.

(9) 'A' Class prisoners are privileged to purchase at their own cost any books available with the approved book-sellers.

(10) Inclusion of 'Andhra Prabha' and 'Andhra Patrika' in the list of newspapers allowed to 'A' and 'B' class prisoners at their own cost.

The following reforms which were recommended by the Jail Reforms Committee were approved by Government during the year 1953 :—

(1) The instructions were issued that Collectors and Commissioner of Police should consider retired officials of gazetted rank and Members of Social Service Organizations for appointment as Jail Visitors.

(2) Abolition of the distinction between First and Second-class Central Jails and the division of District Jails into four classes.

(3) Radiological examination of certain prisoners in the Penitentiary, Madras, to detect the incidence of Pulmonary Tuberculosis.

(4) Amendment to rule 603 (2), Volume II, Madras Prison and Reformatory Manual regarding inoculation against Typhoid on admission of prisoners.

(5) Purchase of special drugs such as Streptomycin P.A.S. and Penicillin.

(6) Deputation of Sri E. P. D. Thomas, B.A., Superintendent, Central Jail, Salem, to Lucknow to study the working of the Model Prison, Lucknow.

(7) Introduction of a form to maintain a correct record of laboratory work done in jail hospitals.

(8) Sri C. N. Raghunathan, B.A., Superintendent of Jails, was permitted to attend the Sixth All-India Conference of Social Work at Hyderabad.

63. *Programme of work to be done—Schemes already sanctioned but pending execution*—I. *Programme of work completed.*—(1) Dismantling of hangar No 9 at Chromepet and re-erection of it at the District Jail, Pudukkottai, at a cost of Rs. 15,500 were originally sanctioned in G.O. Ms. No. 3379, Home, dated 25th August 1951 and revised sanction accorded in G.O. Ms. No. 393, Home, dated 4th February 1953. The work has been completed.

II. *Programme of works to be done—Schemes already sanctioned but pending execution.*—

(2) Electrification of the Special Sub-Jail, Tiruchirappalli. The work was sanctioned in G.O. Ms. No. 2040, P.W.D., dated 8th May 1953 (Rs. 2,240).

(3) Provision of a bore-well in the Sub-Jail, Jayankondan—Estimate for Rs. 2,600 sanctioned in G.O. Ms. No. 4236, P.W.D., dated 10th November 1953.

(4) Provision of a well in the Sub-Jail, Tirumayam—Estimate for Rs. 1,350 sanctioned in G.O. Ms. No. 3871, P.W.D., dated 25th September 1953.

(5) Raising the compound wall around the under-trial prisoners yard in the Central Jail, Coimbatore—Revised Estimate for Rs. 5,680 sanctioned in G.O. Ms. No. 253, P.W.D., dated 25th January 1954.

(6) Installation of a pump set for the bore-well in the jail garden in the Central Jail, Coimbatore, at a cost of Rs. 4,832-8-9 sanctioned in G.O. Ms. No. 3700, Home, dated 9th December 1953.

(7) Raising the height of the compound wall of the Sub-Jail at Kokkirakulam, Tirunelveli district, at a cost of Rs. 3,540 sanctioned in G.O. Ms. No. 3025, P.W.D., dated 17th July 1953.

(8) Raising the portion of the compound wall of the Sub-Jail at Tirukoyilur, South Arcot district, at a cost of Rs. 1,840—Sanctioned in G.O. Ms. No. 2040, P.W.D., dated 8th May 1953.

(9) Raising the compound wall of the Sub-Jail at Villupuram, South Arcot district, at a cost of Rs. 510 sanctioned in G.O. Ms. No. 2040, P.W.D., dated 8th May 1953.

(10) Construction of a bore-well and privy in the Sub-Jail at Madakasira, Anantapur district, at a cost of Rs. 3,250 sanctioned in G.O. Ms. No. 2040, P.W.D., dated 8th May 1953.

(11) Construction of a compound wall for the jail garden in the Central Jail, Madurai, at a cost of Rs. 2,600 sanctioned in G.O. Ms. No. 2040, P.W.D., dated 8th May 1953.

(12) Provision of a bore-well in the Sub-Jail at Erode, Coimbatore district—Revised Estimate for Rs. 2,269 was sanctioned in G.O. Ms. No. 1341, Home, dated 23rd April 1953.

(13) Raising the compound wall of the Sub-Jail at Cuddalore, South Arcot district, at a cost of Rs. 760 sanctioned in G.O. Ms. No. 1983, P.W.D., dated 4th May 1953.

(14) Raising the compound wall in the Sub-Jail, Paramathi, Salem district, at a cost of Rs. 1,870 sanctioned in Government Memorandum No. 209849, Prisons II/53-8, Home, dated 10th February 1954.

(15) Raising the kitchen floor and walls in the Sub-Jail, Gudiyatham, North Arcot district, at a cost of Rs. 1,460 sanctioned in Government Memorandum No. 209849, Prisons II/53-8, Home, dated 10th February 1954.

(16) Construction of a latrine with three seats in the Sub-Jail, Gudiyatham, North Arcot district, at a cost of Rs. 2,000 sanctioned in Government Memorandum No. 209849-Prisons II/53-8, Home, dated 10th February 1954.

(17) Raising the compound wall of the Sub-Jail, Vaniambadi, North Arcot district, at a cost of Rs. 620

sanctioned in Government Memorandum No 209849-Prisons II/53-8, Home, dated 10th February 1954

(18) Raising the height of the compound wall of the Sub-Jail, Jayankondan, Tiruchirappalli district, at a cost of Rs 1,630 sanctioned in Government Memorandum No 209849-Prisons II/53-8, Home, dated 10th February 1954

(19) Raising the height of the compound wall of the Sub-Jail, Ariyalur, Tiruchirappalli district, at a cost of Rs. 1,150 sanctioned in Government Memorandum No 209849-Prisons II/53-8, Home, dated 10th February 1954.

(20) Provision of an enclosure in the Sub-Jail, Nannilam, Tanjore district, at a cost of Rs 560 sanctioned in Government Memorandum No. 209849-Prisons II/53-8, Home, dated 10th February 1954.

(21) Provision of open air enclosure at Sub-Jail, Arantangi, Tanjore district, at a cost of Rs. 4,000 sanctioned in Government Memorandum No 209849-Prisons II/53-8, Home, dated 10th February 1954.

(22) Raising the compound wall at Sub-Jail, Kumbakonam at Tanjore district at a cost of Rs. 480 sanctioned in Government Memorandum No. 209849-Prisons II/53-8, Home, dated 10th February 1954.

(23) Provision of high walled enclosures to Sub-Jail, Thiruturaipundi, Tanjore district, at a cost of Rs. 6,300 sanctioned in Government Memorandum No. 209849-Prisons II/53-8, Home, dated 10th February 1954.

(24) Construction of a latrine in the Sub-Jail, Ambasamudram, Tirunelveli district, at a cost of Rs. 840 sanctioned in Government Memorandum No. 209849-Prisons II/53-8, Home, dated 10th February 1954.

(25) Provision of screen walls in front of Sub-Jail, Ponneri, Chingleput district, at a cost of Rs. 2,900 sanctioned in Government Memorandum No 209849-Prisons II/53-8, Home, dated 10th February 1954

(26) Provision of enclosure in Sub-Jail, Poonamallee, Chingleput district, at a cost of Rs. 5,880 sanctioned in Government Memorandum No. 209849-Prisons II/53-8, Home, dated 10th February 1954.

(27) Raising the height of the compound wall in the Sub-Jail, Madurantakam, Chingleput district, at a cost of Rs. 3,400 sanctioned in Government Memorandum No. 209849-Prisons II/53-8, Home, dated 10th February 1954.

(28) Raising the height of the compound wall of the Sub-Jail, Kancheepuram, Chingleput district, at a cost of Rs 1,400 sanctioned in Government Memorandum No. 209849-Prisons II/53-8, Home, dated 10th February 1954.

(29) Conversion of the dry earth latrine into septic tank type in the Sub-Jail, Kasaragod, South Kanara district, at a cost of Rs. 6,000 sanctioned in Government Memorandum No 209849-Prisons II/53-8, Home, dated 10th February 1954.

(30) Conversion of the dry type latrine into a leaching type in the Sub-Jail, Bantwal, South Kanara district, at a cost of Rs 600 sanctioned in Government Memorandum No. 209849-Prisons II/53-8, Home, dated 10th February 1954.

(31) Conversion of the dry type latrine into septic tank type in Sub-Jail, Coondapur, South Kanara district, at a cost of Rs. 2,500 sanctioned in Government Memorandum No. 209849-Prisons II/53-8, Home, dated 10th February 1954.

(32) Construction of a work shed in Sub-Jail, Cuddalore, South Arcot district, at a cost of Rs. 3,950 sanctioned in Government Memorandum No. 209849-Prisons II/53-8 Home, dated 10th February 1954.

Jail Improvements.

(1) Construction of main gate, guard-room, etc., in the Special Sub-Jail, Tiruchirappalli, is included in Part II Scheme for 1954-55.

(2) Improvements to the Sub-Jails at Ambur, Arni, Wandiwash, Gudiyatam and Polur in North Arcot district at an estimated cost of Rs 18,500 are included in Part II Scheme for 1954-55.

(3) Electrification of the Central Jail and residential quarters at Madurai at a cost of Rs. 45,000 is included in Part II Scheme for 1954-55.

(4) Improvements to Sub-Jails in the districts of Combatores, North Arcot, South Arcot, Chingleput, South Kanara, Malabar, Salem, Tanjore, Tiruchirappalli and Tirunelveli at a total cost of Rs. 1,00,000 are included in Part II Scheme for 1954-55

(5) Construction of a five additional cells in the Sub-Jail at Cuddalore (amount of estimate Rs. 20,400) is included in Part II Scheme for 1954-55.

(6) Extension of the Boot Workshop in the Central Jail, Vellore, is under the consideration of the Government as Part II Scheme for 1954-55.

(7) Construction of a Sub Jail at Devakottai, Ramnathapuram district, is under the consideration of the Government as Part II Scheme for 1954-55

(8) Provision of verandahs to the blocks around the Central Tower of the Central Jail, Tiruchirappalli is under the consideration of the Government as Part II Scheme for 1954-55.

(9) Provision of sewerage and water-supply scheme in the Penitentiary, Madras, to prevent the sullage water from flushing into the Cooum river is under consideration of Government in Part II Scheme for 1954-55.

(10) Raising the compound wall of the Sub-Jail, Arni, North Arcot district—Orders of the Government are awaited

(11) Construction of separate store-room in the Sub-Jails at Nanguneri and Tiruchendur is under the consideration of Government.

III. New Schemes.—(1) Shifting of Penitentiary, Madras, under consideration.

(2) Utilization of Naval Hangar No. 9 at the District Jail, Pudukkottai as workshop.

(3) Extension of District Jail, Pudukkottai and construction of a quarantine.

(4) Utilization of old Headquarters Hospital buildings at Tiruchirappalli handed over to the Jail Department for the expansion of the Special Sub-Jail, Tiruchirappalli.

64. *Conduct of jail establishment*—The strength of the permanent and temporary warders establishment was 1,123 and 182 respectively. The total number of punishments was 492 against 882 in the previous year.

The details of the punishments awarded are furnished below:—

| | |
|--|-----|
| Warnings | 173 |
| Fine | 116 |
| Extra drill and extra duty and deprivation of off-duty | 143 |
| Other punishments | 34 |
| Discharges | 7 |
| Reduction from higher to lower rank | 14 |
| Deduction of pay | 2 |
| Suspension | 2 |
| Dismissal | .. |
| Conviction by court | 1 |

The conduct of the warder establishment was satisfactory.

65. *Conduct of jail officers.*—The conduct of jail officers and subordinates was on the whole satisfactory.

The disciplinary proceedings against the Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, ended in his appointment as Junior Superintendent in the office of the Inspector-General of Prisons.

Due to the separation of Andhra, there was reduction in the staff employed in the Office of the Inspector-General of Prisons to the extent mentioned below:—

Posts retrenched—

| | |
|-------------------------------|---|
| Junior Superintendent | 1 |
| Upper division clerks | 3 |
| Lower division clerks | 4 |
| Typist | 1 |
| Attender | 1 |
| Peon | 1 |

There has been no untoward incident during the period under review

66. *Annual reports of Central, District and Special Jails.*—The annual reports furnished by the Superintendents of Central, District and Special Jails are submitted herewith for perusal and return.

K. G. MENON,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Madras.

APPENDIX.

Note.—Statements V, VII, VIII, X, XII, XVI, XVII, A and D to G have been omitted under orders of the Government.

GENERAL SUMMARY

Showing the distribution of the prisoners of all classes confined in the jails and subsidiary jails of the Madras State during the year 1953.

| (1) | | (2) | | (3) | | | (4) | | | (5) | | | (6) | | |
|--|------------------------|-------------------------|----|--|-------|--------|-----------------------------|--------|---------|---------|--------|---------|--------------------------------|--------|---------|
| Serial number and classes of jails. | | Classes of prisoners | | Remained at the commencement of the year | | | Received during the year | | | Total | | | Discharged from all causes. | | |
| | | | | M | F | Total | M | F | Total | M | F | Total | M | F | Total |
| Central Jails (12) | Convicts | .. | .. | 16,622 | 96 | 16,718 | 92,509 | 2,284 | 94,793 | 109,131 | 2,380 | 111,511 | 89,963 | 2,275 | 92,238 |
| | Undertrials | .. | .. | 1,801 | 40 | 1,841 | 51,562 | 1,304 | 52,866 | 53,363 | 1,344 | 54,707 | 51,377 | 1,257 | 52,634 |
| | Civil | .. | .. | 62 | .. | 62 | 543 | .. | 543 | 605 | .. | 605 | 530 | .. | 530 |
| | Security prisoners. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 55 | .. | 55 | 57 | .. | 57 | 57 | .. | 57 |
| District and Special Jails (2) | Convicts | .. | .. | 236 | 555 | 791 | 1,263 | 3,461 | 4,724 | 1,499 | 4,016 | 5,515 | 1,231 | 3,360 | 4,591 |
| | Undertrials | .. | .. | 49 | .. | 49 | 2,772 | .. | 2,772 | 2,821 | .. | 2,821 | 2,785 | .. | 2,785 |
| | Civil | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 |
| | Security prisoners. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Borstal Schools (2) | Convicts | .. | .. | 768 | .. | 768 | 376 | .. | 376 | 1,144 | .. | 1,144 | 389 | .. | 389 |
| | Undertrials | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| | Civil | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| | Security prisoners. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total (16) | Convicts | .. | .. | 17,626 | 651 | 18,277 | 94,148 | 5,745 | 99,893 | 111,774 | 6,396 | 118,170 | 91,583 | 5,635 | 97,218 |
| | Undertrials | .. | .. | 1,850 | 40 | 1,890 | 54,334 | 1,304 | 55,638 | 56,184 | 1,344 | 57,528 | 54,162 | 1,257 | 55,419 |
| | Civil | .. | .. | 62 | .. | 62 | 544 | .. | 544 | 606 | .. | 606 | 531 | .. | 531 |
| | Security prisoners. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 55 | .. | 55 | 57 | .. | 57 | 57 | .. | 57 |
| Total | | .. | .. | 19,540 | 691 | 20,231 | 149,081 | 7,049 | 156,130 | 168,621 | 7,740 | 176,361 | 146,333 | 6,892 | 153,225 |
| Subsidiary Jails | Convicts | .. | .. | 5,442 | 671 | 6,113 | 80,964 | 4,506 | 85,470 | 86,406 | 5,177 | 91,583 | 81,418 | 4,569 | 85,987 |
| | Undertrials | .. | .. | 5,139 | 125 | 5,264 | 129,990 | 4,154 | 134,144 | 135,129 | 4,279 | 139,408 | 130,548 | 4,137 | 134,685 |
| | Civil | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| | Security prisoners. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | | .. | .. | 10,581 | 796 | 11,377 | 210,954 | 8,660 | 219,614 | 221,535 | 9,456 | 230,991 | 211,966 | 8,706 | 220,672 |
| Grand total | Convicts | .. | .. | 23,068 | 1,322 | 24,390 | 175,112 | 10,251 | 185,363 | 198,180 | 11,573 | 209,753 | 173,001 | 10,204 | 183,205 |
| | Undertrials | .. | .. | 6,999 | 165 | 7,164 | 184,324 | 5,458 | 189,782 | 191,313 | 5,623 | 196,936 | 184,710 | 5,394 | 190,104 |
| | Civil | .. | .. | 62 | .. | 62 | 544 | .. | 544 | 606 | .. | 606 | 531 | .. | 531 |
| | Security prisoners. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 55 | .. | 55 | 57 | .. | 57 | 57 | .. | 57 |
| State Total for 1953 | | .. | .. | 30,121 | 1,487 | 31,608 | 360,035 | 15,709 | 375,744 | 390,156 | 17,196 | 407,352 | 353,299 | 15,598 | 373,397 |
| State Total for 1952 | | .. | .. | 22,992 | 936 | 23,928 | 338,616 | 16,003 | 354,619 | 361,608 | 16,939 | 378,547 | 331,437 | 15,452 | 346,939 |

| | | (7) | | | (8) | | | (9) | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|----|---------|---------------------------------------|--------|-----------|---------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|--------|-----------|--|--|
| | | Remaining at the end of the year | | | Daily average number of each class | | | Total daily average of whole jail. | | | | | | |
| | | M | F | Total | M | F | Total | M | F | Total | | | | |
| Central Jails (12) | Convicts | .. | .. | 19,168 | 105 | 19,273 | 15,933.10 | 66.31 | 15,999.41 | 18,267.20 | 115.52 | 18,382.72 | | |
| | Undertrials | .. | .. | 1,986 | 87 | 2,073 | 2,242.88 | 49.21 | 2,292.09 | | | | | |
| | Civil | .. | .. | 75 | .. | 75 | 81.08 | .. | 81.08 | | | | | |
| | Security prisoners. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10.14 | .. | 10.14 | | | | | |
| District and Special Jails (2) | Convicts | .. | .. | 268 | 656 | 924 | 227.09 | 532.09 | 809.18 | 320.74 | 532.09 | 902.83 | | |
| | Undertrials | .. | .. | 36 | .. | 36 | 93.60 | .. | 93.60 | | | | | |
| | Civil | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 0.05 | .. | 0.05 | | | | | |
| | Security prisoners. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | | | | | |
| Borstal Schools (2) | Convicts | .. | .. | 755 | .. | 755 | 717.47 | .. | 717.47 | 717.47 | .. | 717.47 | | |
| | Undertrials | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | | | | | |
| | Civil | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | | | | | |
| | Security prisoners. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | | | | | |
| Total (16) | Convicts | .. | .. | 20,191 | 761 | 20,952 | 16,877.66 | 648.40 | 17,526.06 | 19,305.41 | 697.61 | 20,003.02 | | |
| | Undertrials | .. | .. | 2,022 | 87 | 2,109 | 2,336.48 | 49.21 | 2,385.69 | | | | | |
| | Civil | .. | .. | 75 | .. | 75 | 81.13 | .. | 81.13 | | | | | |
| | Security prisoners. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10.14 | .. | 10.14 | | | | | |
| Total | | .. | .. | 22,288 | 848 | 23,136 | 19,305.41 | 697.61 | 20,003.02 | | | | | |
| Subsidiary Jails | Convicts | .. | .. | 4,988 | 608 | 5,596 | 1,592.34 | 115.21 | 1,707.55 | 6,337.05 | 233.57 | 6,570.62 | | |
| | Undertrials | .. | .. | 4,581 | 142 | 4,723 | 4,744.71 | 118.36 | 4,863.07 | | | | | |
| | Civil | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | | | | | |
| | Security prisoners. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | | | | | |
| Total | | .. | .. | 9,569 | 750 | 10,319 | 6,337.05 | 233.57 | 6,570.62 | | | | | |
| Grand Total | Convicts | .. | .. | 19,310† | 1,282 | 20,592 | 18,470.00 | 763.61 | 19,233.61 | 25,642.46 | 931.18 | 26,573.64 | | |
| | Undertrials | .. | .. | 4,186† | 190 | 4,376 | 7,031.19 | 167.57 | 7,198.76 | | | | | |
| | Civil | .. | .. | 64† | .. | 64 | 81.13 | .. | 81.13 | | | | | |
| | Security prisoners. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10.14 | .. | 10.14 | | | | | |
| State Total for 1953 | | .. | .. | 23,560† | 1,472 | 25,032 | 25,642.46 | 931.13 | 26,573.64 | | | | | |
| State Total for 1952 | | .. | .. | 20,121 | 1,437 | 21,558 | 24,650.60 | 769.46 | 25,420.06 | | | | | |

* Allotted to Andhra and Mysore States consequent on the separation of
† Figures relating to the Residuary State.

STATEMENT III.—JUDICIAL (for convicts only).

Statement showing the convicts admitted into the jails and subsidiary jails of the Madras State during the year 1953 and those remaining on the 31st December of that year, according to the nature and length of sentences.

| (1) | (2) | (3) | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|--|---|-------|---|-------|--|-----|--|-----|---|----|---|----|
| | | Numbers according to length of sentences. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | A | | B | | C | | D | | E | | F | |
| | Nature of imprisonment indicated by letters marking the four jail divisions. | Not exceeding one month. | | Above one month and not exceeding three months. | | Above three months and not exceeding six months. | | Above six months and not exceeding one year. | | Above one year and not exceeding two years. | | Above two years and not exceeding five years. | |
| | | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. |
| State total for 1953. | A. Prisoners sentenced to simple imprisonment | 17,318 | 2,390 | 7,509 | 495 | 1,230 | 50 | 1,83 | 66 | 3 | . | 2 | .. |
| | B. Prisoners sentenced to rigorous imprisonment | 30,131 | 1,773 | 53,318 | 3,050 | 11,251 | 314 | 3,487 | 86 | 1,493 | 8 | 745 | .. |
| | C. Prisoners sentenced to rigorous imprisonment with solitary confinement. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| | D. Prisoners sentenced to rigorous imprisonment with whipping. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| | Total admissions .. | 56,449 | 4,163 | 61,217 | 3,545 | 12,501 | 364 | 3,670 | 152 | 1,496 | 8 | 747 | 9 |
| | Total remaining on the 31st December 1953. | 2,536 | 427 | 7,179 | 588 | 3,408 | 129 | 1,958 | 45 | 1,543 | 21 | 1,256 | 82 |
| State total for 1952. | Total admissions for 1952 .. | 51,952 | 3,712 | 53,339 | 2,977 | 11,633 | 275 | 3,705 | 30 | 1,654 | 13 | 816 | 11 |
| | Total remaining on the 31st December 1952. | 5,294 | 551 | 7,538 | 585 | 3,544 | 101 | 1,842 | 21 | 1,464 | 14 | 1,554 | 19 |

| | | (3)—cont. | | | | | | | | | | (4) | |
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| | | Numbers according to length of sentences—cont | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | | Above five years and not exceeding ten years. | | Exceeding ten years. | | Sentenced to transportation beyond seas | | | | Sentenced to death. | | Total. | |
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STATEMENT IV.—JUDICIAL (for convicts only).

Statement showing the convicts admitted into the jails and subsidiary jails of the Madras State during the year 1953 who had been previously convicted.

(Amended as per G.O. Ms. No. 2993, Home, dated 27th July 1951.)

| (1) | | (2) | | (3) | | | | | | | | | | (4) | | | |
|-------------------------|----|---|-------|--|---|---|--|------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------|---------------------------------------|---|-------|---|--------|--|--|
| | | Number admitted during the year. | | | A | | B | | | | | | C | | Total. | | |
| | | | | | Number imprisoned for the first time for default of finding security under section 110, Criminal Procedure Code, and classified as habituals. | | Number imprisoned in default of finding security under section 110 of the Criminal Procedure Code or convicted under Chapters XII, XVI, XVII and XVIII of the Indian Penal Code with previous convictions under any of those chapters or under section 110 of the Criminal Procedure Code and classified as habituals. | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Once previously convicted. | | Twice previously convicted. | | More than twice previously convicted. | | | | | | |
| | | M. | F. | Total. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | | | |
| State total for 1953 .. | .. | 136,706 | 8,260 | 144,966 | 302 | 2 | 1,900 | 13 | 1,041 | .. | 463 | .. | 3,706 | 15 | | | |
| State total for 1952 .. | .. | 123,690 | 7,024 | 130,714 | 359 | 3 | 1,289 | 19 | 808 | .. | 340 | .. | 2,746 | 22 | | | |
| | | (4) | | (5) | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | Females under item G—(Previous occupation) of Statement No II—(For convicts only). | | | | | | Habituals. | | | | | | | |
| | | Ratio per cent of column (3) C to column (2) in whole number. | | | | Number of prostitutes admitted during the year. | | Number previously convicted. | | Total. | | Number in column (2) identified as "habituals" before conviction and classified as such by the convicting Courts. | | Number in column (2) classified as "habituals" by the District Magistrate or Magistrate specially empowered (not being the convicting Court). | | Number in column (2) classified as "habituals" by the Jail Superintendent. | |
| | | M. | F. | Total. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| State total for 1953 .. | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | 10 | | .. | | 10 | | 3,706 | | 15 | | .. | | |
| State total for 1952 .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 29 | | .. | | 29 | | 2,746 | | 22 | | .. | | |

STATEMENT VI.—JUDICIAL (for convicts only).

Statement showing the offences committed by the convicts and the punishments inflicted on them in the jails and subsidiary jails of the Madras State during the year 1953.

| (1) | | (2) | | (3) | | (4) | | | | | | | | | | (5) | |
|-----|--|-----|--|-----|--|---|--|----------------------------------|--|---|--|-----------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|--|
| | | | | | | Offences dealt with by Superintendents. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | a | | b | | c | | d | | e | | | |
| | | | | | | Relating to work. | | Relating to prohibited articles. | | Relating to assaults, mutiny and escapes. | | All other breaches of Jail Rules. | | Total. | | | |
| | | | | | | Dealt with by major punishments. | | Dealt with by minor punishments. | | Dealt with by major punishments. | | Dealt with by minor punishments. | | Dealt with by major punishments. | | Dealt with by minor punishments. | |
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STATEMENT IX.—FINANCIAL, 1953—cont.

Statement showing the expenditure in guarding and maintaining the prisoners in the jails and subsidiary jails of the Madras State during the year 1953, excluding the cost of building new jails, of additions, alterations and repairs—cont.

| Jails. | (6)—cont. | | | | | | | | | | | (7) | | | (8) | | | | | | | | |
|---|-------------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------------------|---|--|---|---------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------------|--|--|-----------------------------|--|------------------------|------------------------------------|--|--|----------------|--|------------|--|----------|--|
| | Hospital charges—cont. | | | | | | | | Clothing and bedding of prisoners. | | | Sanitation charges. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | D | L | F | G | | | | | A | B | | A | B | C | D | E | | | | | | | |
| | Proportion of dairy expenses | Total cost | Cost per head of average strength. | Cost per head of average strength. | | | | | Total cost. | Cost per head of average strength excluding civil prisoners. | Charges for conservancy, cleaning and purifying. | Charges for water-supply. | Extraordinary charges. | Total cost. | Cost per head of average strength. | | | | | | | | |
| | RS. | RS. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | | | | | RS. | RS. A. P. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. A. P. | | | | | | | | |
| Grand total for 1953 .. | 10,913 | 3,93,780 | 14 13 1 | 1,990 11 2 | | | | | 4,48,424 | 16 8 9 | 1,16,001 | 94,562 | 725 | 2,11,378 | 7 15 3 | | | | | | | | |
| Grand total for 1952 .. | 39,122 | 4,10,863 | 16 2 7 | 1,528 4 6 | | | | | 2,97,326 | 11 11 1 | 99,876 | 89,240 | 191 | 1,89,307 | 7 7 2 | | | | | | | | |
| (9) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | (10) | | | | | | | |
| Charges for moving prisoners. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Charges for miscellaneous services and supplies. | | | | | | | |
| A | B | C | D | | | | | A | B | C | D | E | F | G | H | | | | | | | | |
| Transfer charges and road subsistence of prisoner. | Transportation charges | Total cost. | Cost per head of average strength | | | | | Lighting. | Disciplinary charges. | Annual expenses for uniform and accoutrements of warders. | Money payment as reward for recaptures and services. | Execution charges | Other miscellaneous charges. | Total cost. | Cost per head of average strength. | | | | | | | | |
| RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. A. P. | | | | | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. A. P. | | | | | | | | |
| Grand total for 1953 .. | 3,08,739 | | 3,08,739 | 11 9 11 | | | | 88,723 | 3,161 | 63,666 | 5,250 | 98 | 2,17,704 | 3,78,602 | 14 3 11 | | | | | | | | |
| Grand total for 1952 .. | 2,33,062 | | 2,33,062 | 9 2 8 | | | | 58,879 | 3,965 | 47,076 | 4,659 | 66 | 1,59,623 | 2,74,268 | 10 12 7 | | | | | | | | |
| (11) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | (12) | | | | (13) | | | |
| Travelling allowances. | | | | Contingencies. | | | | | | | | | | | | Extraordinary charges for livestock, tools and plant likely to last for three years and upwards. | | | | | | | |
| A | B | | | A | B | C | D | E | F | G | H | | A | B | | | | | | | | | |
| Total cost | Cost per head of average strength. | | | Rents, rates and taxes. | Telephone charges. | Service postage and telegrams. | Current office expenses. | Office furniture. | Charges for registers and stationery. | Total cost. | Cost per head of average strength. | | Conservancy and water-supply dead-stock. | Dietary dead-stock. | | | | | | | | | |
| RS. | RS. A. P. | | | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. A. P. | | RS. | RS. | | | | | | | | | |
| Grand total for 1953 .. | 17,854 | 0 10 9 | | 62,306 | 8,542 | 27,071 | 39,275 | 1,154 | 3,563 | 1,41,911 | 5 5 5 | | 18,768 | 15,983 | | | | | | | | | |
| Grand total for 1952 .. | 27,691 | 1 1 8 | | 88,280 | 10,232 | 30,467 | 46,205 | 1,079 | 3,241 | 1,74,504 | 6 13 10 | | 6,374 | 8,049 | | | | | | | | | |
| (13)—cont. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | (14) | | | | | | | |
| Extraordinary charges for livestock, tools and plant likely to last for three years and upwards—cont. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Grand total of expenditure. | | | | | | | |
| C | D | E | F | G | H | I | J | K | L | | | A | B | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hospital dead-stock. | Garden and agricultural dead-stock. | Lighting dead-stock. | Disciplinary dead-stock. | Arms and accoutrements (original cost). | Dairy livestock and plant (excluding maintenance). | Draught cattle (excluding maintenance which goes under 10 p). | Other miscellaneous dead-stock. | Total cost. | Cost per head of average strength. | | | Grand total of expenditure. | Total cost per head of average strength. | | | | | | | | | | |
| RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. A. P. | | | RS. | RS. A. P. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Grand total for 1953 .. | 4,476 | 18,418 | 2,553 | 4,430 | 2,175 | 765 | 185 | 4,667 | 72,420 | 3 11 7 | | 1,03,55,462 | 389 11 0 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Grand total for 1952 .. | 4,068 | 9,425 | 2,128 | 9,707 | 163 | 228 | 2,075 | 24,614 | 66,831 | 3 10 1 | | 90,69,551 | 356 11 8 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Inspector-General of Prisons. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Establishment charges. | | Travelling allowance. | | Contingencies. | | Total. | | | |
| RS. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | RS. | | RS. | | RS. | | RS. | | | |
| Grand total for 1953 .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 23,255 | | (a) 76,005 | | 8,078 | | (c) 39,059 | | 1,44,392 | |
| Grand total for 1952 .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 25,300 | | (b) 71,716 | | 9,519 | | (d) 31,829 | | 1,38,364 | |
| (a) Includes pay of Assistant Inspector-General of Prisons, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Rs. 11,642. | | | | | | | |
| (b) Do. do. do. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Rs. 10,200. | | | | | | | |
| (c) Includes Stationery department charges, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Rs. 1,766. | | | | | | | |
| (d) Do. do. do. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Rs. 1,567. | | | | | | | |

ADMINISTRATION REPORT OF THE

STATEMENT XI.—FINANCIAL.

Statement showing the employment of convicts in the jails and subsidiary jails of the Madras State during the year 1953.

| | (1) | | | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | | | | | | | |
|----------------------|-----|----|----|-----|--|--|----------------------|---|--|--|------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|---|---------------|-------------|
| | | | | | Average number not sentenced to labour | Average number under sentence of labour on working days. | Average number alok. | Average number convalescent and infirm. | Average number not employed for other reasons. | Average number employed on working days. | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | On prison duties. | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | A | B | C | D | E | F | G |
| | | | | | | | | | | On unremunerative labour. | Prison officers. | Prison servants | Gardening and farm work. | Employed in preparing articles for use or consumption in jails. | Jail repairs. | Sanitation. |
| State total for 1953 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 660 21 | 18,583-71 | 197-81 | 843-78 | 2,934-02 | 13-44 | 996 88 | 1,489 15 | 2,234-98 | 1,210-13 | 209-44 | 908-23 |
| State total for 1952 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 889 30 | 14,997-57 | 206-83 | 843-65 | 2,221 32 | 5-63 | 899 80 | 1,274-85 | 1,151-45 | 974-48 | 283 94 | 774-06 |

| (7)—cont. | | | | | | | | | | | | | (8) | (9) | (10) | | | |
|---|----|----|----|----|--------|------|------|----|----|----|----|----------|--|-------|--|-------|-------|--|
| Average number employed on working days—cont. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Percentage of number in column (3) employed on | | | |
| H | | | | | | | | | | | | | I | | J | | | |
| On jail buildings. | | | | | | | | | | | | | Manufactures. | | | | | |
| Additions and alterations. | | | | | | | | | | | | | New jails. | | | | | |
| Under Superin- tendent. | | | | | | | | | | | | | Under Public Works De- partment. | | | | | |
| Under Superin- tendent | | | | | | | | | | | | | Under Public Works De- partment. | | | | | |
| State total for 1953 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 107-10 | 3-62 | 0-01 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7,036-56 | 301-67 | 22-29 | 19-62 | 38-00 | 39 86 | |
| State total for 1952 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17-72 | 6-02 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5,863 00 | 433-91 | 17-39 | 23-52 | 35-76 | 42-26 | |

| State total for 1953 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 107-10 | 3-62 | 0-01 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7,036-56 | 301-67 | 22-29 | 19-62 | 38-00 | 39 86 |
|----------------------|----|----|----|----|--------|------|------|----|----|----|----|----------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| State total for 1952 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17-72 | 6-02 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5,863 00 | 433-91 | 17-39 | 23-52 | 35-76 | 42-26 |

STATEMENT XII-A.—FINANCIAL.

Statement showing the result of employment of convicts in the jails of the Madras State during the year 1953.

| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) (Debits). | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------|----------------------|-------------------------------------|--|--------|---|--|-----------------------------------|----|---|----|---|---|---|----|---|-----|--|----|--|----|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|----|----|----|
| Serial number. | Jails. | Average number sentenced to labour. | A | | B | | C | | D | | E | | F | | G | | H | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Cash in hand at the end of 1952. | | Manufactured articles at the end of 1952. | | Raw materials at the end of 1952. | | Amount of out-standings due by the jail at the end of 1952. | | Amount of out-standings due to the jail at the end of 1952. | | Plant and machinery at the end of 1952. | | Amount drawn from the treasury during 1952. | | Total of columns A, B, C, E, F and G (—) D. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | RS. | A. | RS. | A. | RS. | A. | RS. | A. | RS. | A. | RS. | A. | RS. | A. | RS. | A. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | State total for 1953 | .. 13,583-71 | 203 | 15 1/2 | 9,29,280 | 14 | 10,11,754 | 9 | 2,49,498 | 9 | 10,23,666 | 5 | 2,25,527 | 5 | 25,52,980 | 8 | 54,93,864 | 15 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | State total for 1952 | .. 14,997-57 | 414 | 11 | 9,32,249 | 3 | 8,83,793 | 13 | 1,20,220 | 14 | 7,21,827 | 13 | 2,09,710 | 11 | 24,95,094 | 15 | 51,27,870 | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (5) (Credits). | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | A | | B | | C | | D | | E | | F | | G | | H | | I | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Cash in hand at the end of 1953. | | Manufactured articles at the end of 1953. | | Raw materials at the end of 1953. | | Amount of out-standings due by the jail at the end of 1953. | | Amount of out-standings due to the jail at the end of 1953. | | Plant and machinery at the end of 1953. | | Amount paid into the treasury by cash or invoice during 1953. | | Value of prison labour costing over Rs. 500. | | Total of columns A, B, C, E, F, G and H (—) D. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | RS. | A. | RS. | A. | RS. | A. | RS. | A. | RS. | A. | RS. | A. | RS. | A. | RS. | A. | RS. | A. | | | | | | | | | | |
| | State total for 1953 | .. | 193 | 3 | 8,86,304 | 8 | 9,70,560 | 1 | 35,613 | 10 | 9,53,232 | 8 | 3,53,142 | 7 | 30,55,725 | 6 | 60,593 | 10 | 61,94,133 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| | State total for 1952 | .. | 203 | 15 | 9,29,290 | 14 | 10,11,754 | 9 | 2,49,493 | 9 | 10,23,666 | 5 | 2,25,527 | 5 | 29,13,443 | 12 | 59,073 | 12 | 59,13,456 | 15 | | | | | | | | | | |
| (6) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | A | | | B | | | C | | | (7) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Net profit (difference between the total of credits and debits). | | | Average net profit per head of average number sentenced to labour. | | | Excess or loss. | | | Earnings (only sale of manufactured articles and by services falling under the heads (a) in cash, (b) on credit, (c) on invoice, (d) on book, adjustment and (e) of extra-mural labour supplied to Government departments as well as to public bodies and private individuals). | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. | Average earnings per head of number sentenced to labour. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | State total for 1953 | .. | 7,00,273 | 2 | 0 | 37 | 10 | 11 | .. | .. | .. | (a) | 31,19,559 | 12 | 0 | 167 | | | | | | | | | | | | 13 | 10 | .. |
| | State total for 1952 | .. | 7,90,786 | 11 | 0 | 52 | 11 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | (b) | 29,30,451 | 3 | 0 | 198 | | | | | | | | | | | | 11 | 8 | .. |

NOTE.—The figures in columns (4) B, C and F and (5) B, C and F show the value of stock and machinery after the necessary deductions have been made and those in columns (4) E and (5) E, the amounts of bills receivable deducting the bad debts written off.

(a) Includes Rs. 60,593-10-0 on account of convict labour supplied to the Government Press, Madras, and Rs. 1,814-4-0 on account of convict labour supplied to the Quinine Section of the Central Jail, Coimbatore.

(b) Includes Rs. 59,073-12-0 on account of convict labour supplied to the Government Press, Madras, and Rs. 1,645-9-0 on account of convict labour supplied to the Quinine Section of the Central Jail, Coimbatore.

STATEMENT XII-B.—FINANCIAL.

Comparative statement of manufactures of the jails in the Madras State during the year 1953.

| Serial number. (1) | Jails. (2) | Total value of articles manufactured during the year. | | | | | | Percentage of labouring convicts employed on manufactures (last column of general Statement XI). | |
|-----------------------|---------------|---|----|----|-----------|----|----|--|-------|
| | | 1952. | | | 1953. | | | 1952. | 1953. |
| | | (3) | | | (4) | | | (5) | (6) |
| | | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. | | |
| State total | | 31,53,813 | 8 | 2 | 32,90,840 | 5 | 2 | 42.26 | 39.86 |

STATEMENT XIII.—FINANCIAL.

Statement showing the net cost of the prisoners in jails and subsidiary jails of the Madras State during the year 1953.

| Serial number and jails. (1) | Total cost of maintenance [col. (14) of Statement IX]. | | | Average cost of maintenance per head [col. (14) of Statement IX]. | | | Total "net profits" [col. 6 (a) of Statement XII-A]. | | | Average "net profit" per head of average strength. | | | Net cost to Government [col. (2) minus col. (4)]. | | | Average net cost per head of average strength [col. (3) minus col. (5)]. | | |
|---------------------------------|--|----|----|---|----|----|--|----|----|--|----|----|---|----|----|--|----|----|
| | (2) | | | (3) | | | (4) | | | (5) | | | (6) | | | (7) | | |
| | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. |
| State total for 1953 | 1,03,55,482 | | | 389 | 11 | | 7,00,278 | 2 | | 28 | 6 | | 96,55,183 | 14 | | 363 | 5 | |
| State total for 1952 | 90,89,551 | | | 356 | 12 | | 7,90,586 | 11 | | 31 | 2 | | 82,78,964 | 5 | | 325 | 10 | |

STATEMENT XIV.—VITAL.

Statement showing the sickness and mortality among prisoners of all classes in the jails and subsidiary jails of the Madras State during the year 1953.

| (1) Classes of prisoners. | (2) Number of persons that can be accommodated in the parts of the jails devoted to convicts, undertrial and civil prisoners, respectively, but exclusive of hospital and observation cells. | | | (3) Average daily strength. | | | (4) Maximum population on any one day. | | | (5) Number admitted into hospital. | | | (6) Daily average number of sick. | | |
|------------------------------|---|-------|--------|--------------------------------|--------|-----------|---|----|--------|---------------------------------------|-----|--------|--------------------------------------|------|--------|
| | M. | F. | Total. | M. | F. | Total. | M. | F. | Total. | M. | F. | Total. | M. | F. | Total. |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Convicts | .. | .. | .. | 18,470.00 | 763 61 | 19,233.61 | .. | .. | .. | 6,289 | 51 | 6,340 | 205.03 | 0.39 | 205.42 |
| Undertrials | .. | .. | .. | 7,081.19 | 167.57 | 7,248.76 | .. | .. | .. | 3,710 | 251 | 3,961 | 42.42 | 0.86 | 43.28 |
| Civil | .. | .. | .. | 81.13 | .. | 81.13 | .. | .. | .. | 33 | .. | 33 | 0.33 | .. | 0.33 |
| Security Prisoners | .. | .. | .. | 10 14 | .. | 10.14 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Civil lunatics | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| State total for 1953 | 23,597 | 1,595 | 25,192 | 25,642.46 | 931.18 | 26,573.64 | .. | .. | .. | 10,082 | 302 | 10,384 | 247.33 | 1.25 | 248.58 |
| State total for 1952 | 21,212 | 1,595 | 22,807 | 24,654.60 | 769.46 | 25,424.06 | .. | .. | .. | 8,978 | 142 | 9,120 | 264.58 | 4.26 | 268.84 |

| (7) Number of deaths in and out of hospital. | (8) Ratio per mille of average strength. | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|----|--------|---------------------------------------|--------|--------|--|------|--------|---|------|--------|
| | A Of admissions into hospital. | | | B Of daily average number of sick. | | | C Of deaths from all causes except cholera. | | | D Of deaths from all causes both in and out of hospital. | | |
| | M. | F. | Total. | M. | F. | Total. | M. | F. | Total. | M. | F. | Total. |
| Convicts | 168 | 1 | 169 | 340.50 | 66.79 | 329.63 | 11.10 | 0.51 | 10.68 | 8.82 | 1.31 | 8.88 |
| Undertrials | 54 | .. | 54 | 721.63 | 304.35 | 518.15 | 5.99 | 5.13 | 5.68 | 7.63 | .. | 7.45 |
| Civil | .. | .. | .. | 406.75 | .. | 406.75 | 46.84 | .. | 46.84 | .. | .. | .. |
| Security Prisoners | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Civil lunatics | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| State total for 1953 | 217 | 1 | 218 | 391.23 | 324.82 | 388.88 | 9.66 | 1.34 | 9.37 | 8.46 | 1.07 | 8.20 |
| State total for 1952 | 168 | .. | 168 | 364.15 | 184.55 | 358.71 | 10.73 | 5.54 | 10.57 | 6.73 | .. | 6.53 |

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STATEMENT XV.—VIFAL.

Statement showing the admissions and deaths from the chief diseases among the convicts in the jails of the Madras State during the year 1953

| | (1) | | | | | | | | | | (2) | | | | | | | | | | (3) | | | | | | | | | | (4) | | | | | |
|----------------------|----------|----|------------|----|------------------|----|---|----|---------------------------|----|---------------------|----|-------------------------|----|-----------|----|-----------------|----|------------|----|---|----|--|------|------------|------|-----------------|------|-----------|------|-----------|------|--|------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| | A | | B | | C | | D | | E | | F | | G | | H | | I | | J | | K | | Ratio of admissions and of deaths per mille of average strength from | | | | | | | | | | Number of deaths according to length of time passed in the jail. | | | |
| | Cholera. | | Dysentery. | | Malarial fevers. | | Pulmonary tuberculosis and hemoptysis due to tuberculosis | | Other tubercular diseases | | Anemia and debility | | Other general diseases. | | Pneumonia | | Other diseases. | | Diarrhoea. | | Abscess, boils and ulcers of all kinds. | | Cholera. | | Dysentery. | | Malarial fevers | | Pneumonia | | Diarrhoea | | All causes | | Within six months | More than six months. |
| | A. | D. | A. | D. | A. | D. | A. | D. | A. | D. | A. | D. | A. | D. | A. | D. | A. | D. | A. | D. | A. | D. | A. | D. | A. | D. | A. | D. | A. | D. | A. | D. | | | | |
| State total for 1953 | .. | . | 485 | 5 | 303 | 2 | 144 | 23 | 9 | | 256 | 15 | 2,920 | 99 | 111 | 8 | | | 160 | 1 | 482 | .. | .. | .. | 27.67 | 0.29 | 17.29 | 0.11 | 6.33 | 0.48 | 9.13 | 0.06 | 301.78 | 9.13 | 110 | 50 |
| State total for 1952 | 3 | 2 | 401 | 2 | 406 | 4 | 89 | 13 | 17 | .. | 273 | 10 | 3,965 | 78 | 136 | 4 | | | 392 | 4 | 247 | . | 0.10 | 0.12 | 25.72 | 0.12 | 25.91 | 0.26 | 8.69 | 0.26 | 25.02 | 0.26 | 397.04 | 8.04 | 87 | 39 |

STATEMENT XVIII.

Statement showing the particulars regarding prisoners under trial in the jails and subsidiary jails of the Madras State during the year 1953.

| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
|----------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------------|
| | Number remaining at the close of the previous year | Number received. | Total population. | Daily average number. | Released. |
| | M. F. | M. F. | M. F. Total | M. F. Total | M. F. Total |
| State total for 1953 .. | 6,989 165 | 184,324 5,458 | 191,313 5,623 196,936 | 7,081 19 167 57 7,248 76 | 90,969 3,268 94,237 |
| State total for 1952 | 5,517 135 | 167,844 6,828 | 173,361 6,963 180,324 | 7,643 47 168 52 7,811 99 | 89,749 4,891 94,610 |
| | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) |
| | Convicted and sentenced | Transferred, etc. | Escaped. | Died. | Remaining on 31st December 1953. |
| | M. F. Total | M. F. Total | M. F. Total | M. F. Total | M. F. Total |
| State total for 1953 | 33,419 1,400 34,819 | 60,240 726 60,966 * 2,417 39 2,456 | 20 .. 20 | 42 .. 42 | 14,186 190 14,376 |
| State total for 1952 | 30,869 1,454 31,823 | 46,061 605 46,666 | 33 .. 33 | 38 .. 38 | 6,989 165 7,154 |

* Allotted to Andhra and Mysore States consequent on the separation of the State.

† Figures relating to the Residuary State.

STATEMENT B.—MISCELLANEOUS.

Statement showing the condition of the prisoners released from the jails of the Madras State during the year 1953.

| Number of persons who gained or lost weight during the year, 1952-1953 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------|-------|-----------------------------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|--------|-----|-------|
| Year. | Number released during the year. | | | | | | Number who had gained weight | | | | | Number who had lost weight. | | | | | | |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) | Total | (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) | Total. | | |
| | | | | | | | Up to 1 lb | From 1 to 5 lb. | From 5 to 10 lb | Over 10 lb | | Up to 1 lb | From 1 to 5 lb | From 5 to 10 lb | Over 10 lb. | | | |
| * total for 1953 | " | " | " | " | " | " | 92,823 | 42,977 | 22,210 | 19,081 | 5,278 | 1,188 | 47,652 | 1,171 | 756 | 215 | 52 | 2,194 |
| * total for 1952 | " | " | " | " | " | " | 78,497 | 31,805 | 16,935 | 15,788 | 4,374 | 1,398 | 37,490 | 1,997 | 1,499 | 516 | 190 | 4,202 |

STATEMENT C.—MISCELLANEOUS.

Statement showing the working of the remission system in the jails of the Madras State during the year 1953.

| (1) | Number of convicts used during the year who came under the remission system but failed to gain remission | | | | Number of convicts released during the year who gained remission | | | | Maximum remission in days, paid by any convict released during the year | | | | Average remission earned by the convicts entered in columns (3) to (6) | | | | Maximum gratuity earned by any convict released during the year | | | Average gratuity earned by the convicts entered in columns (3) to (6) | | |
|----------------------|--|----|----|----|--|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|---|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|--|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|---|----|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | Sentenced to | | | | Sentenced to | | | | Sentenced to | | | | by any | | | by the | | |
| | | | | | one | | | | one | | | | one | | | | year | | | (3) to | | |
| | | | | | Not exceeding one year | Over one but not exceeding two years | Over two but not exceeding five years | Over five years | Not exceeding one year | Over one but not exceeding two years | Over two but not exceeding five years | Over five years | Not exceeding one year | Over one but not exceeding two years | Over two but not exceeding five years | Over five years | RS | A | P | RS | A | P |
| State total for 1953 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16,082 | 553 | 390 | 97 | 80 | 153 | 609 | 3,518 | 13 | 217 | 212 | 1,141 | 37 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| State total for 1952 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16,621 | 752 | 262 | 125 | 80 | 241 | 650 | 3,445 | 15 | 85 | 260 | 1,275 | 34 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |

STATEMENT H.

Statement showing the number of prisoners sentenced to simple imprisonment in default of payment of fine or failure to furnish security and admitted into the jails and subsidiary jails of the Madras State during the year 1953.

(G O. No. 5654, Home, dated 28th October 1939)

| (1) | Numbers according to length of sentence. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Total. | | |
|----------------------|--|-------|--|-----|---|----|---|----|--|----|--|----|--|----|----------------------|----|---------------------|
| | A | | B | | C | | D | | E | | F | | G | | H | | |
| | Not exceeding one month | | Above one month and not exceeding three months | | Above three months and not exceeding six months | | Above six months and not exceeding one year | | Above one year and not exceeding two years | | Above two years and not exceeding five years | | Above five years and not exceeding ten years | | Exceeding ten years. | | |
| | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | Total. |
| State total for 1953 | 7,100 | 1,162 | 3,764 | 167 | 1,433 | 26 | 263 | 73 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12,562 1,428 13,990 |
| State total for 1952 | 7,383 | 716 | 1,287 | 89 | 465 | 50 | 249 | 8 | 22 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9,408 863 10,271 |

APPENDIX TO STATEMENT II (for convicts only).

Statement showing the age of children, juveniles and adolescents admitted into the jails and subsidiary jails of the Madras State during the year 1953.

| (1) | | | | | Children under 14 years. | | 14 to 15 years. | | 16 to 20 years. | | Adolescents from 21 to 23 years. | |
|----------------------|----|----|----|----|--------------------------|----|-----------------|----|-----------------|-----|----------------------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. |
| State total for 1953 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 28 | 2 | 84 | 13 | 7,082 | 526 | 10,993 | 1,018 |
| State total for 1952 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 50 | 5 | 113 | 6 | 6,193 | 422 | 11,070 | 488 |

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HOME DEPARTMENT

G.O. No. 2372, 7th August 1954

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